

MAY BARE REAL FACTS IN THE LINGLE CASE

State Still Clothes The
Story Of Murder In
Utter Secrecy

Editor's Note:—This is the last of a series of stories dealing with the slaying of Alfred (Jake) Lingle, Chicago reporter.

By H. B. Burton.
Chicago, March 13.—(AP)—While the police commissioner of Chicago, William Russell, who later resigned, stood at the head of the slain friend, Alfred (Jake) Lingle, the nation began to wonder what sinister force lay back of the assassin's revolver.

That power may be bared when Leo Brothers goes to trial before Judge Joseph Sabath, accused as the hiring killer.

Scarcely had officials squared away on an investigation of Lingle's death in a Michigan Avenue subway last June before publications of "all inside" were heralding "the inside story."

Many Solutions.
Magazines dangled prize bait which drew from the pens of writers a thousand different solutions.

Amateur detectives with a flair for writing strange backgrounds of facts from police blotters and built them into weird tales of mystery that ran the gamut from the plausible to the ridiculous.

And while the gargantuan basket of paper theories was being heaped higher, officialdom maintained a silence without parallel in a murder case of such magnitude. Not a theory was advanced. Even when Leo Brothers was arrested and charged with the crime, no one came forward to tell how he had been linked with Lingle's death.

Two Theories.
But two theories have emerged from the "solutions" advanced by countless writers.

The chroniclers of the first pictured Lingle as an inmate of a "half-world"—a holder of a politico-criminal post in which he won the backing of a

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MINNESOTA WILL GIVE SUSPENDED BOYS DIPLOMAS

Youths Were Charged With
Drinking at University
Farm School

St. Paul, Minn., March 13.—(AP)—Of 17 University of Minnesota farm school students suspended yesterday on charges of drinking, first offenders will be granted diplomas.

Second offenders will be required to do additional work. Two, charged with selling liquor to others, will not be reinstated. No names were made public, nor were the numbers of first and second offenders announced.

This agreement was reached today after the Minnesota state senate had appointed a special committee of four to confer with the university faculty in an effort to have the ban removed from the students.

Senator A. J. Rockne announced the agreement after a closed conference of Dean E. E. Nicholson of the university and the senate committee, which was appointed after the legislative body sharply criticized the faculty's action and considered a resolution calling for a general investigation of liquor drinking conditions.

Action on a resolution calling for a thorough investigation of the suspensions was deferred by the senate on the ground that immediate passage might interfere with efforts for reinstatement of the students so they might be graduated.

The farm school is similar to a high school. No students of collegiate ranking are involved, Dean Nicholson said.

The action against the students was taken by the school administration four days after a few small liquor raids near the main university campus in Minneapolis. The farm school is on a separate campus in St. Paul.

WEATHER

For Jacksonville and Vicinity—Partly cloudy and colder will be the weather for the next two days, Weather Observer W. P. Day declared in his forecast sent out from Chicago last night. The thermometer climbed to 62 yesterday afternoon, according to the weather report given out last night by the Norbury Sanitarium Weather Station. The lowest temperature was 35 and the current 57. Barometer readings were P.M. 30.01; A.M. 30.09.

Illinois—Partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday, possibly occasional rain along the Ohio river, somewhat colder in south and central portions Saturday.

Missouri—Partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday, possibly some rain in extreme south portion, slightly colder Saturday.

Iowa—Mostly fair Saturday and Sunday, slightly colder in west and south portions Saturday.

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| Jacksonville | 60 | 71 | 50 |
| New Orleans | 64 | 70 | 56 |
| Chicago | 36 | 39 | 36 |
| St. Louis | 40 | 50 | 30 |
| Indianapolis | 34 | 42 | 26 |
| St. Paul | 64 | 68 | 48 |
| San Francisco | 56 | 60 | 46 |
| Albany | 62 | 64 | 50 |
| Omaha | 50 | 54 | 36 |
| Minneapolis | 34 | 38 | 30 |
| Denver | 50 | 52 | 34 |
| San Francisco | 64 | 66 | 52 |
| Winnipeg | 26 | 30 | 28 |

Oklahoma's Bad Men Coming Out of "Solitary"

McAlester, Okla., Mar. 13.—(AP)—Oklahoma's bad men are coming out of "solitary."

Under a policy of B. F. Van Dyke, who left a country law office to become warden, such notorious bandits as Matt and George Kimes, young bank robbers, killers and Ray Terrell, bank looter are being given employment at the state penitentiary.

Van Dyke recently began clearing solitary cells in which forty convicts were kept when he took charge. The Kimeses and Terrell had been "in the hole" since they tried to escape shortly after their incarceration several years ago.

The new warden, an attorney and insurance man at Mangum before he was named to the prison post by Gov. W. H. Murray, interprets the extreme punishment meted out by law as meaning hard labor. He hopes to abolish "solitary."

His brief tenure as warden has caused a stir in political circles. The state senate has declined to confirm his appointment largely because of claims that he once was a socialist. Murray is standing by his friend, and a recess appointment is believed likely.

DEMOCRATS ARE FLIRTING WITH INDEPENDENTS

Want Progressives To
Support Democrat

In 1932

By Nathan Robertson.
Washington, March 13.—(AP)—An open flirtation between Democratic leaders and Independent Republicans looking toward the 1932 presidential campaign developed today as an aftermath to the Progressive conference.

Senator Norris, Republican, Nebraska chairman and sponsor of the conference, said the Progressives only hope for a liberal presidential candidate lies with the Democratic party.

This was followed by a statement from Senator Hiram Bingham, Democrat, former chairman of the Democratic National committee, pointing out what he described as similarities between the Progressive program and the policies of his party.

Both belittled the possibility of practicability of a third party movement.

Senator Norris, Republican, Nebraska chairman and sponsor of the conference, said the Progressives only hope for a liberal presidential candidate lies with the Democratic party.

He refused to say who he would like to have the Democrats nominate, but remarked that if Hoover was the Republican nominee and Owen D. Young, the Democratic choice, he would probably "go fishing."

Pointing out a number of Democratic views which he said were "accepted" by the Progressives, Hail added:

"Democrats agree with the Progressives that a third party is entirely inadvisable, for the reason now stated, and as contended by Democrats in 1910-12, that the only practical hope for the liberal forces of the country is in the Democratic party."

"In numerous instances the ideas expressed and the evils pointed out in the Progressive conference were in complete harmony with the course and attitude—both past and present—of most of the great Democratic rank and file, three-fourths of whom stand for sane, practical, Jeffersonian liberalism."

"The Progressive conference is beneficial in an educational way, and in awakening to some extent the American people. The citizen has never been so indifferent to the government and his relations and duties to it."

"The Progressives are rendering a valuable and patriotic service and correspondingly reinforcing the efforts of the Democratic party in this arousing and warning the people."

JUDGE RULES IN LONGLEY CASE

Chicago, March 13.—(AP)—Judge Michael Peabody ruled today that George Greene Longley's failure to testify in his suit to prove himself the pre-marital son of the late Albert W. Longley could be argued against him.

There may be nothing prejudicial in George Longley's refusal to testify, he said in reply to an objection by Longley's counsel, "but the law is clear that defending counsel can draw inferences from his refusal." The case is expected to be closed within a few days.

Counsel for the estate of the late Chicago hat manufacturer stated in closing arguments that Longley's attitude could be legally inferred as concealing something and that his own testimony would injure his case.

Longley's counsel replied that the opposition "wants to start a fishing expedition to find out about the next part of this case."

FINED \$23,500
Mexico City, Mar. 13.—(AP)—A fine of 50,000 pesos (about \$23,500) was assessed by the second district court today against Daniel Flores, who a year ago tried to assassinate President Calles and a few weeks ago was sentenced to 19 years 9 months and 18 days in prison for the crime.

DENISON FOUND NOT GUILTY OF LIQUOR CHARGE

Jury Takes 3 Ballots
Before Reaching A
Verdict

Washington, March 13.—(AP)—Edward P. Denison, a member of the house from Illinois for 16 years before he was defeated for reelection last November, today was acquitted of liquor possession charges by a jury of eight men and four women in District of Columbia supreme court.

The jury, given the case on the third day of the trial, deliberated one hour and took three ballots before reaching its verdict.

The trial grew out of the finding of 24 bottles of liquor in an army locker trunk in Denison's room at the house of his nephew, Charles E. Lane, Jr., of St. Louis.

Denison contended the wrong baggage had been delivered and that the army locker trunk he purchased at Balboa contained dishes for some friends and relatives in this city and St. Louis.

Called Fairy Story
Testimony regarding the dishes was described as a "fairy story" by John J. Sirica, one of two assistant district attorneys in charge of the prosecution, in his closing argument.

William E. Leahy, closing for the defense, described the prohibition unit's handling of the case as a "comedy of errors."

He said the government bureau had "passed the buck to these two boys sitting here," referring to Sirica and Irving Goldstein, the other prosecution attorney.

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LANDSLIDES ARE DRIVING MANY FROM VILLAGES

Farmhouses and Barns are
Swallowed Up by Mass of
Rock and Earth

Chattanooga, Tenn., March 13.—(AP)—Four hundred million cubic meters of rock, snow and earth, sliding inexorably down the mountains at the rate of 500 feet an hour, have driven the inhabitants of four villages into a flight in the last twenty-four hours.

Great walnut trees which have stood for generations were buried under like strips of lath, engulfed in the unrelenting mass which swallowed up farmhouses and barns.

Army engineers were coming in tonight to try to divert the slide by blowing up a bridge at Granges. They hope this would split the movement in two and send the greater part of the slide into a mountain torrent which would carry it away.

The inhabitants of Granges were evacuated this afternoon and ordered to move farther down the valley. Three arms of the landslide threatened the villages, the hamlets in the commune of Mottier-Bene and villages between them.

The landslide was caused by heavy rains of the past few weeks. It tore loose from the hillside with a great rumble and began moving over an area of about a hundred acres, gathering volume as it rolled. So far no deaths have been reported.

RAW SEWAGE CAN BE MADE USEFUL THRU TREATMENT

New Discovery Would Change
Sewage Into Fertilizer and
Drinking Water

New York, March 13.—(AP)—A "discovery" of very far-reaching importance in sewage disposal was described today by the New York section of the American Chemical society tonight by Dr. John Arthur Wilson of Milwaukee.

It converts sewage into two useful substances, a fertilizer selling at \$20 a ton and water which Dr. Thomas said is purer than the drinking water of many cities.

The work is done in a new way, by protozoa, the smallest animals in existence. They are cigar-shaped, single-cell creatures, the first rung of life above bacteria. The protozoa eat the bacteria, which are the poisons, the real waste, in sewage. When all the bacteria are eaten, the protozoa die.

Their bodies settle and are ground into a fertilizer rich in nitrogen and phosphoric acid. These protozoa are cheap workmen, requiring only the right living conditions, which consists principally of a supply of oxygen while they eat. They compromise many different races, two of the principal ones being respectively paramoecia and volvocella.

WOMEN IN INDUSTRY
Bloomington, Ill., March 13.—(AP)—Women in industry can not be held responsible for the present spread of unemployment, Mrs. Peter Dehn, Chicago attorney, said here tonight in addressing business and professional women of the city.

Answering the arguments of various editors and business leaders that women have replaced men in the working world, Mrs. Dehn said that women have not taken men's jobs but have simply changed their own place of employment.

The speaker declared that in the past women did their sewing, baking and numerous other tasks in the home, but with the advent of the factory age they left the home to do similar things in the factory.

General Revenue Fund Of Illinois Facing Deficit Treasurer Barrett Says

Springfield, Ill., March 13.—(AP)—Only prompt cooperation of county treasurers in making tax returns to the state can save Illinois from facing a deficit in the general revenue fund between May 1 and July 1, State Treasurer Edward J. Barrett said today.

State Auditor Oscar Nelson earlier in the day predicted the deficit, on the strength of the present dwindling balance in the fund and anticipated expenditures. The auditor's figures showed that the shortage might occur as early as April 1.

Although the state treasurer admitted that the condition might become serious, he said that there is no immediate need for anxiety on the part of state employees or others concerning payment of salaries or bills.

Deficit Expected
Occurrence of a deficit in the general revenue fund evidently has been expected for some time, as Governor Emmerson recently took up the matter of a tax anticipation warrant with Attorney General Oscar E. Carls.

The attorney general now is preparing an opinion as to the legality of such warrants.

The auditor's estimate of the general revenue fund placed the probable balance on April 1 at \$1,053,000. To this he added \$1,600,000 as anticipated returns in property and inheritance tax. These estimates excluded any tax collections from Cook county, which would fall short of meeting estimated expenditures for the month by \$847,000.

State Treasurer Barrett said, however, that he expects to receive between a half million and a million dollars in advance tax from Cook county the latter part of the month, thus postponing any possible shortage until May 1.

Through co-operation with Treasurer Joseph McDonough of Cook county, Treasurer Barrett already has staved off shortages in several of the special funds. He is in close touch with Cook county officials and at present is making every effort to collect past due taxes for the general fund from that county.

Prospective receipts for May, based on the experience of last year, also indicate a deficit for that month, the auditor said. June tax collections, however, would wipe out the shortage by July 1, he added.

Threats of deficits for May and June can be nullified by a desperate treasurer according to State Treasurer Barrett. He said that if the downstate treasurers make prompt returns on personal property taxes and other moneys due the state, no deficit need occur.

FRANKIE RENNER BREAKS WOMEN'S ALTITUDE RECORD

Akron, Ohio, Woman Climbs
to Height of More Than
33,000 Feet

Akron, O., March 13.—(AP)—Miss Frankie Renner, 30, business executive and airplane saleswoman took a day off from her regular routine today and piloted an airplane to an altitude much greater than any woman has yet reached.

She estimated that her Waco airplane went to 33,000 feet, greater by 3,000 feet than the goal at which she aimed in order to break the official altitude record for women. The record, held by Miss Elinor Smith, is 27,418 feet.

Miss Renner, who was taught to fly in 1927 and who has 200 hours to her experience, had very little trouble, she said during the 4 hours and 4 minutes her trip to the clouds was summed. She started the flight at 1:42 p. m. and landed at 5:46.

Immediately after the flight she sent the barograph and other instruments from the plane to Washington for calibration. Her flight was registered at 28,600 feet. Weather bureau officials estimated the uppermost height of the clouds, which she went above, to be 33,000 feet.

Hugh Robbins, president of the Robbing Flying Service, of which Miss Renner is secretary-treasurer, said she is an excellent business woman as well as a good flyer. She has had many narrow escapes but no serious accidents in the air.

INCOME TAX BILL ILLEGALLY PASSED

Indianapolis, Mar. 13.—(AP)—Holding that the proposed individual income tax bill passed by the general assembly "was not authenticated or signed" in the manner and at the time required by the constitution, Governor Harry G. Leslie late today announced he would not sign the measure.

Although branding the statement attached to the bill by Speaker Walter Myers of the house as a "sham," Governor Leslie declared in a formal statement that "it was not taken into consideration."

Governor Leslie's announcement brought forth the declaration from Speaker Myers tonight that "it is the test of a veto, then most certainly the appropriation bill should be vetoed because it was signed on Tuesday, March 10."

Both Governor Leslie and Attorney General James M. O'Brien held the view that the statement attached to the bill by Speaker Myers had the effect of nullifying and invalidating the bill through the assembly, and set out, among other things, that the speaker had signed the bill on March 10—a day after the assembly is constitutionally bound to adjourn.

ADMITTED TO PROBATION
Chicago, March 13.—(AP)—Thomas Deere, 24, who pleaded guilty to conspiracy to rob Mrs. George Parsons, widow farm owner near Elgin, was admitted to a year's probation by Judge Joseph Graber today. Deere disclosed a plot to steal \$40,000 from the Lily Lake farm of Mrs. Parsons. He obtained character testimonials from a dozen business men and earned money and commutation probably would diminish the punishments ordered by the court martial board.

**Seven Year Old
Boy Is Clawed
by Circus Lion**
Marion, Ill., Mar. 13.—(AP)—Guy Estell Pierce, 7, was recovering today from severe cuts suffered when clawed by a lion at winter quarters of Seitz Sterling circus here.

While watching an elephant take a bath, the child jumped back to dodge a spray of water from the elephant's trunk and came within reach of the lion's sharp teeth through bars of the cage. The child escaped by peeing off his coat which was caught in the lion's claws.

The little boy received medical attention and did not shed a tear or shudder when he jumped into the lap of his grandfather, E. S. Strong.

MOTHER TELLS SON TO ENTER GUILTY PLEA

Companion Had Been
Sentenced To The
Electric Chair

Bardonia, Ky., March 13.—(AP)—The words of a mother 500 miles away today sent her son to the penitentiary for life.

Confronted with the state's offer to swap a life sentence for a plea of guilty in the murder February 22, of Carl B. James, railroad official, Anthony Piotrowsky, alias Tony Prosky, alias Anthony Peterson, was overcome with fear and confusion with happenings of the past few days. He turned to his mother in Detroit for advice. If he refused the state's offer he faced trial by jury with death in the electric chair as maximum punishment on a verdict of guilty.

Mrs. Agnes Piotrowsky, whose lack of funds prevented her attending her son's trial, speaking over the telephone from Detroit, sealed her son's fate when she advised his attorney to enter a plea of guilty.

The mother had before her newspaper accounts of the fate of her son's companion, Frank Carson, alleged trigger-man, who yesterday was convicted and sentenced to death by a jury in the same court for the same murder. Both are under 20 years of age.

The slaying occurred Washington's birthday, February 22, while James and his family were making an automobile trip.

On the highway they met two youths who hailed them and asked for a ride. Carson and Piotrowsky had left Louisville that day, hitchhiking from Detroit to Nashville. They were seeking work in the south.

They said but Detroit police said they were fleeing from justice in Detroit and that they were accused of eleven robberies and an attack upon a girl there.

After traveling a few miles James' passengers drew pistols and demanded the car. James stopped and all four stepped to the roadside. While Carson and James argued, Mrs. James signalled a passing car for help. Confusion followed, a shot was fired and James fell dead.

The youths after forcing another motorist to move on, fled in the James car, leaving Mrs. James behind over the body of her husband.

An alarm was sounded and the James car was crashed into the court-house at Hodgenville, a few miles from the scene of the slaying. Carson and Piotrowsky were arrested but denied they had killed James.

Carson testified he heard the fatal shot come from a car passing the scene of the holdup. His first trial resulted in mistrial when jurors disagreed on the degree of punishment. A new jury was impeached almost immediately and after two hours deliberation found Carson guilty and recommended the death penalty.

His execution has been set for June 12.

MOTHER THROWS CHILDREN INTO RIVER; SUICIDES

Two of the Children are
Drowned While Boy, 11,
Swims to Shore

Mattapoisett, Mass., March 13.—(AP)—Mrs. William Chester Allison, 35, of Saylesville, R. I., drove her three children to a dock here tonight on the pretense of showing them the New York boat and then hurled them into the water and jumped to her death after them.

The tragic story was revealed by one of the children, Wayne, 11, after he was found drifting west a mile from the place of the drowning in an exhausted condition, nearly overcome with grief and from his efforts to reach safety from the near-trigid waters.

The boy was unable to swim, but managed to cling to rocks beneath the wharf and then pulled himself ashore. The vicinity was deserted so he started to walk for help.

The husband and father, informed of the tragedy, left Saylesville to come here tonight. He was unaware of anything having happened today as he had not returned from his employment at the Sayles Finishing plant where he is a chemist.

Friends of the family tonight said Mrs. Allison had been despondent for the past several weeks.

ASK DEATH FOR ARMY OFFICERS

Jaca, Spain, March 13.—(AP)—Death for five and life imprisonment for 66 of the army officers implicated in last December's short-lived mutiny here today were asked by the courts martial of 77 officers began.

The defendants who testified at this first session said they had been betrayed by the leaders of the revolt. They were assured, they said, a republic had been proclaimed at Madrid and the Republic movement had succeeded in other key cities. Otherwise they would not have joined the rebellion.

Captain Ferny Galan and Captain Garcia Hernandez, who were shot for their part in the uprising, were the real leaders of the rebellion, the witnesses said.

The opinion prevailed that while some death sentences and several long prison terms might be pronounced, a government degree of leniency and commutation probably would diminish the punishments ordered by the court martial board.

Bright Yellow Rain Reported in Yugoslavia

Belgrade, Yugoslavia, March 13.—(AP)—Rain which stained with bright yellow the hats and clothes of pedestrians fell on Belgrade today.

The phenomenon was attributed to presence in the sky of dust lifted by recent earthquakes and borne northward by the wind.

Meanwhile rain of normal color but unusual volume joined with the sudden melting of snow on the mountain heights to create elsewhere in Yugoslavia a serious flood situation. The river Save was out of its banks at many places and in Mitrovitz the water had reached the record level of the great floods of 1919 and 1924.

BANDITS OBTAIN LOOT VALUED AT ONE MILLION

Secure Combination of
Safe From Employee
After Threat

Palm Beach, Fla., March 13.—(AP)—Robbers, who had the key to the door and combination of the safe, entered the Palm Beach branch of Charlton and company, New York jewelers, last night and escaped with loot estimated at \$650,000 to \$750,000. Some officials said the total might reach \$1,000,000.

Otto Wegener, local manager and trusted employee of the firm for 20 years, told authorities he gave the key and combination to three or four men who kidnaped him last night and threatened his life unless he obeyed their commands.

No charges had been made tonight but Sheriff E. C. Baker said Wegener and D. H. Odum, night watchman at the store, were being questioned. The sheriff said some details of Wegener's story varied. Diamonds and costly gems were said to have composed the bulk of the loot.

Wegener told officers he was seized in front of his hotel in West Palm Beach by persons who called him "Otto". He was taken to a vacant house in southern West Palm Beach, where he was gagged and tied to the bed.

The manager asserted he was held prisoner there until early this morning, when his guard left for about 40 minutes and he managed to extricate himself and make a report to officers.

FRENCH OFFICERS SEND TO AMERICA FOR EVIDENCE

Police are Checking up on the
Character of
Husband

Nice, France, March 13.—(AP)—French authorities sent today to St. Louis and Philadelphia, former homes of Mrs. Charlotte Nash Nixon-Nirdlinger, for character evidence which might determine whether charges should be brought against her for the killing of her husband.

Magistrate Vacher, who will decide whether to release or place charges against the young wife, said tonight it might be several weeks before he could make a decision.

The young beauty club, against all efforts of police to break it down, to her story that she fired in self defense Wednesday night when she killed the wealthy Philadelphia theatre man, who was 28 years older than she. Her story was strengthened by the days of her testimony.

"Was he or I?" she repeated in her cell, and something was bound to happen.

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CIVIC SCANDAL MAY ENTER THE 1932 CAMPAIGN

May Have Bearing On
Political Future Of
Roosevelt

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The World
And All

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It Takes Work

Fannie Hurst has the right idea. She goes to her workshop at nine in the morning, and until three that afternoon she is alone and undisturbed with her typewriter, paper, books and ideas. Every day, from nine to three, she works without interruption. No telephone calls, visitors or interruptions are permitted to break in upon the important thing—work.

It is obvious that not all of us who work at the writing trade are able to arrange our affairs so that this period of uninterrupted work is possible. But that doesn't negate the fact that Fannie Hurst has chosen the better part, so far as the writing program is concerned.

At her home this other day, Miss Hurst talked to me about her labors. I asked her if she goes about with fragments of many plots in her mind, each plot struggling for recognition.

"No," she said. "I have a one-track mind. When I have a novel in my mind, nothing else comes into my head. I am the child of ideas, and I am used to seeing young people in a university class admitting this fact."

"Once in a long while, to be sure, a shadowy figure flits across the canvas on which I am working, but I don't let it. I don't let it distract me. I concentrate upon the characters that are acting for me in this plot or that."

"THE world is full of young people with some talent for clever writing, but how empty it is of people who are willing to work for years, writing millions of words and throwing them away, in order to achieve the reward of fame and success."

I have known scores of newspaper reporters who wrote fairly well and cherished the ambition to write a novel. But most of them lacked the stamina to give up amusements and recreations for the realization of their ambition. Most of them, of course, were working hard at the regular occupation, and were tired after their day's work.

Well, I can remember back to the time when Fannie Hurst wasn't famous. She was on a newspaper. I'll wager a big fountain pen full of black ink that she put in many a tired evening writing at a novel before she ever got one published. She wasn't born with a signed contract in her hands, you know.

It takes work, and don't forget it.

HANDWRITE EXPERT

TO SPEAK HERE

Something new in the line of addresses at men's church meetings has been planned by the men of State Street Presbyterian church for the evening of March 23, a week from next Monday evening. At that time they will have opportunity to hear J. F. Wood of Chicago, one of the most famous handwriting experts in the world. Mr. Wood will relate some of his experiences in detecting certain specimens of handwriting when thousands of dollars or a life were at stake.

It was Mr. Wood who supplied very valuable testimony in the Leopold and Loeb case when Chicago detectives were endeavoring to run down the slayers of Bobbie Franks. The typewriter upon which notes were written by Wood prominently in the copy from the typewriter was one of the strongest links of evidence that led to the conviction of Leopold and Loeb.

The Chicago expert is an interesting speaker. He addressed the Morgan County Bar Association several months ago.



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By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

Author of "You Can," "Up," "Just Among Friends"

ON PLAYING GOLF HOLES OVER

For nearly 20 years I have played golf. I have just decided that I will never be a great golfer. But I shall always play the game happily—and some of these days I may become a good golfer!

Here is something I have noted about myself, as well as others. Often a hole is played rather poorly, after several good holes, and the immediate thought is: I wish I could play that hole over. But, alas! You always have to wait for another round, or another day, for that. The game must proceed and you have to take your good and bad fortunes along with you.

How many strokes in life we wish we could play over. But here again we must go on with the game, hoping for better skill and control next time. Nothing troubles me more than regrets. I had several bad holes yesterday, in side the ocean. But on the fourteenth hole I spied a group of beautiful my play, here in South Carolina, be- cardinals, in a low spot, feeding. That

sight gave me a greater thrill than a three on that hole would have given me! And just a short distance away the ocean sang its song of beauty and power.

There are compensations to every loss in every game—even in that of life, which is our greatest game. The rainy days come and we have to stay inside. There is beauty to these days, however, that I used to pass by, and it lies in the knowledge that on the morrow the grass will be literally smiling, and the trees will take up themselves new grandeur, and the whole earth smell with fragrance.

We must learn that the past is something that is gone—forever. Life must always be ahead. And so we must try to play the next hole better. Perhaps it will be our best hole! Some of us will never be golf champions. But the simplest and humblest of us may become champion friends! I would like to perfect my game to that end, wouldn't you?

HOW TIME FLIES

Thirty Years Ago

The East Side Tuesday club met with Mrs. M. D. Rapp at her home, 1 East Sublette street, with a large number in attendance and a lively and interesting program.

The remains of Mrs. Frank Williamson were expected to arrive here sometime during the day from Greenville.

Eugene V. Debs arrived in town from Belleville for an address here in the evening. At Belleville he was tendered a reception by the city administration and a grand parade.

Dr. J. C. Widenham returned from a short visit to Peoria. He reported that there was very high water in the river above Havana.

The prayer meeting at the Brooklyn church was postponed on account of the heating apparatus being out of order due to water in the basement. Word was received in the city telling of the death of Mrs. J. W. Strong, of St. Joseph, Mo., and a former resident of this city.

W. T. Huntley was a visitor in St. Louis in the interests of business.

Mrs. Theodore Michaels of North Main street, was visiting with her daughter, Mrs. James E. Green, at Springfield.

Percy Cherry entertained a number of friends at his home on South Church street.

Hon. J. L. Morrison was thought to be slightly improved although he still remained a very sick man.

Twenty Years Ago

A mighty tough battle was expected to be staged at Strawn's hall when the local high school basketball team were to meet with the cagers from Tevleville.

Six business houses were destroyed in an early morning blaze at Tallula. The damage was estimated at \$50,000. Miss Marie Worfolk returned to her studies at St. Mary's, Indiana, after enjoying a visit in this city with her parents.

Mrs. J. I. Olian and Miss Gertrude Pauly returned from a trip to New York.

Mrs. F. L. Best was a visitor in Springfield for a few days at the home of Mrs. Jessie Palmer Weber. Horace C. Bradish was at home after a three months' business trip through the south.

Miss Alice Cuddy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cuddy, of near Manchester, became the wife of Emory Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith, of near Roodhouse.

Ten Years Ago
The annual open meeting of the Chautauque Musical club was held at the home of Mrs. Homer Potter on Park street. The club was then in its 25th.

Detailed Red Cross data gathered from a recent community survey was to be made public at a gathering

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TAME RABBITS ARE USED FOR FOOD IN WHITE HALL

White Hall, March 13.—Domestic rabbit meat as food was introduced to the people of White Hall Thursday in connection with the monthly dinner of the Christian church. At the same time the dinner introduced the latest White Hall enterprise, the White Hall Fur Farms, established in June of last year on the spacious Bates premises on East Bridgeport street by Arthur R. Peters of St. Louis. The reaction to the use of domestic rabbit meat as food was universally favorable by the more than one hundred people who called for that kind of a dish.

Domestic rabbit culture is just beginning to have a foothold in the middle west. In California it is an established business of importance, and in Michigan it has attained large proportions as meat food by an immense rabbit packing plant at Detroit. In Missouri it is recognized both for fur and as meat, and it is just now gaining consideration for a packing concern in this section of Illinois, perhaps Springfield.

According to recent statistics secured from the Department of Commerce, Washington, D. C., the value of imported rabbit skins for 1935 was greater than the combined value of pelts from twenty of the world's leading fur-bearing animals, the total for combined total for badger, beaver, mink, muskrat, marten, mink, wolf, muskrat and thirteen other varieties represented \$11,555,916, while the combined total for badger, beaver, mink, muskrat, marten, mink, wolf, muskrat and thirteen other varieties represented \$11,555,361.

It staggers one to realize that in the past four years 72,749,951 pounds of undressed rabbit skins, represent-

ing over 300 million rabbit pelts, have been imported into the United States. These imported skins reached the startling valuation of over 76 million dollars, proving conclusively that the United States has been asleep, and that rabbit raising is destined to become one of our leading live stock industries in the next few years.

Rabbits rank very high in France, Great Britain and other European countries as meat producers, and with the combined value of meat and fur offer the American farmer a new enterprise that "is more profitable than poultry, eggs or cattle."

Rabbit sausage introduced by the Stahl enterprise at Independence, Mo., is making a big hit in Kansas City.

LOCAL SCOUT BODY

TO ASHLAND MEET
A group of members of the executive board of the Mascoutah Area Scout Council will go to Ashland next Monday evening in the interest of scouting. There will be a court of honor session, at which five new Scouts of that community will be given their tenderfoot badges.

Arrangements are being made to have the badges presented by two Eagle Scouts, James Gordon and Wadsworth Applebee, the presentation to be accompanied by a short Scout ceremony. Those who will go to Ashland for the meeting include President T. M. Coyle, C. O. Gordon, A. B. Applebee, J. C. Mutch, Executive R. L. Ellis and perhaps other members of the council.

The March court of honor of Jacksonville is to be held on March 24, a full quota of application for advancement is expected from local Scouts.

Homor Morris of Markham was a Friday morning visitor in the city.

OBITUARY

Miss Lavern Rochester was born October 23, 1906, on a farm east of Murfreesboro, and died on March 8, 1936, in the home of her father, of Lorton's Prairie, southeast of White Hall. She had been in declining health for several years, and was not strong enough to withstand the severe attack of pneumonia following influenza.

She was the daughter of James and Nellie Britten Rochester. Her mother preceded her in death 15 years ago. She leaves her father and step-mother, one brother John, two half-sisters Eleanor and Betty Lee, two step-brothers Leroy and Archie James all of White Hall; her grandmother, Mrs. Josephine Rochester of Manchester, besides a number of other relatives.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock at the Christian church at White Hall, Rev. C. L. Lettze of Manchester officiating. Music was furnished by the Duncans Sisters. Flowers were cared for by Mrs. Abbie Roodhouse, Wretha Bradshaw, Mary Gardner, Marcell Newton, Louise Manley and Mrs. Helen Jarrett. Fall bearers were Nyle, Ralph and Eudolph Tribble, Jerald Forrester, Leo Rochester and Jno McConathy.

The remains were placed in the receiving vault at White Hall to await better road conditions when they will be taken to Nortonville for burial.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

Albert B. Conlee of Route 6 underwent an operation for appendicitis at Our Saviour's hospital Friday morning at 10 o'clock and was reported last night to be resting comfortably.

PLAN SERVICES FOR VICTIMS OF TRAGEDY

Double funeral services for Mr. and Mrs. Robert Colpitts, aged Cass county couple who died from coal gas fumes in their home near Philadelphia Wednesday night, will be held at two o'clock this afternoon at the Garner Chapel, north of Philadelphia. Interment will be made in the church cemetery.

Testimony at the inquest showed that escaping gas from a heating stove caused the death of the aged man and wife, who were parents of Mrs. J. B. Perkins of Franklin. One of the lids of the stove was not down tight, the fumes generating as the couple slept and filling the room. It is believed that a lump of coal prevented the lid from fitting down tight on top of the stove.

Roads leading from Morgan county to Garner Chapel are reported good, so that acquaintances of Mr. and Mrs. Colpitts in the Franklin community will be able to attend the funeral.

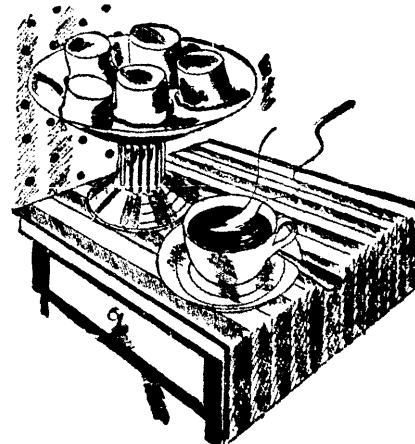
FUNERAL NOTICE

Services for the late Mrs. Thomas Beely will be held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Merodola, M. E. church, with interment in Oakland cemetery near Merodola.

NOTICE TO FILE BILLS

Persons having claims against Morgan County should file same in the office of the County Clerk not later than Saturday noon, March 14th, in order that same may be considered at the coming session of the County Board.

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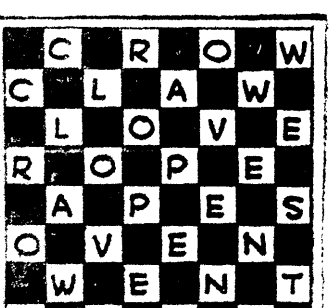


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VELMA HAYES, M. KESINGER MARRY TODAY

Local Girl to Wed This Morning; to Leave on Trip North

Miss Velma Hayes, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hayes of 1012 South Main street, and Merrill Kesinger, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Kesinger of White Hall, will speak their marriage vows this morning at ten o'clock in a single ring service to be read by Rev. Freeman A. Havivest. The ceremony will be performed in the Grace church parsonage with only the two attendants as witnesses.

Miss Louise Goller of Jacksonville and Carl Kesinger, of White Hall, rother of the bride-groom will act as maid of honor and best man respectively. The bride-elect will wear a blue dress with which her accessories will harmonize.

Miss Hayes has been a resident in Jacksonville during both her educational course and business experience. She was graduated from the local high school in 1929 and for the past year and a half has worked for the Security Loan corporation in this city. Mr. Kesinger completed his high school course in the White Hall school in 1923 and since that time has been employed in the office of the Gregory laboratory at White Hall.

The young couple will leave, following the marriage service, on a short trip north, expecting to go to Detroit, Michigan and up into Canada. Upon their return they will make their home at 239 West Bridgeport, White Hall.

OUTT STUDENTS ATTEND MASS

The student body of Routh College assembled in the Church of Our Saviour Friday morning at 7:15 to attend Mass and to receive Holy Communion. The students prepared themselves for yesterday's service by confessing yesterday afternoon. The other Confessor of the college this year is Rev. Charles Fanning of New Berlin.

This service is now a monthly happening at Routh. It was introduced last year together with the annual retreat as part of the religious program. The students have entered into it seriously and with promise by such help of laying a sound religious foundation.

Send-off For Team.

At 1 o'clock today the students gathered in front of the college to see the basketball team a "send-off" and to bid them good-bye as they departed for the tournament at St. Louis. The student body has given them their most loyal and enthusiastic support this year and the gathering in front of the school today should have given them a thrill that will last long. The club will send the team to be accompanied by Mr. Fanning, the principal, Wallace Babbitt and Byron Snyder, acting manager.

The Girls Club of Sacred Heart academy, Springfield, is expected to visit Routh soon. The club will send the student body in the form of a series of exchange concerts to be given by the schools. Routh hopes to send its club to Springfield sometime in the near future. These concerts were begun to inspire the students to better work by seeing what is being done by their schools.

MRS. MARCH HOSTESS AT CLUB GATHERING

Mrs. Robert March, 445 West Independence avenue, was hostess to the members of the Love and Service club Wednesday afternoon. Assisting Mrs. March as hostess for the day was Mrs. Charles Thompson.

Luncheon was served at noon to a group of 35 guests. During the afternoon each member produced a relic or an old souvenir, which they brought or the occasion, and explained the significance of each article.

Special guests of the club included Mrs. Henry Cody of Quincy, mother of the club president, Mrs. Charles Winters and the Rev. and Mrs. L. M. Westrate.

Members of the entertainment committee were Mrs. Victor Wood and Mrs. Albert Pruitt.

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Around The Radio Clock

By C. E. Butterfield

Time is Eastern Standard throughout New York March 13.—(C)—News and how it is obtained, photographically as well as for the printed word, is to be dramatically told in the broadcast tomorrow evening from the general news room of The Associated Press in New York.

The listener, with the aid of the microphone, and a coast to coast network of stations, is to be given an opportunity to feel the pulse of the world for half an hour just as the news and women whose jobs involve the gathering and transmission of constantly occurring events do every second of the day and night.

Besides a general tour of the great news room and its clicking automatic telegraph machines, the radio audience is to be taken into the news photo department, where A. L. Murphy, news editor of that division, will tell how pictures are obtained and distributed by every known means. Telephone, radio and cable transmission and even airplanes are called into service, and he will explain the part each plays.

The broadcast, starting at 7:30, is to include an address by Kent Cooper, general manager of The Associated Press, who will be introduced by M. H. Ayresworth, president of the National Broadcasting company, which will transmit the program on its combined facilities.

The rumble of the great presses in the office of the New York Herald Tribune will close the broadcast, which is to be carried by the following revised list of NBC stations:

WEAF, WJZ, WJAR, WGSN, WLIT, WTAM, CKGW, CFCF, WSN, WHAM, WBAL, WIOD, WRC, WOC, WHO, KWK, WMC, WJDN, WBBN, WCAE, WWSB, WYAT, WYFA, WWSB, KTHS, WEAP, WRN, WEEB, WEEI, WGY, WOV, WJR, WPTF, WAPI, KOA, KSL, KFI, KGO, KHQ, KOMO, KPO, KFSD, KTAR, KGW and probably others.

The Prince of Wales is to make another radio address tomorrow, speaking from Buenos Aires, his voice will be brought to this country by short wave wireless telephone and rebroadcast by the combined WEAF and WJZ chains in a program to open at 1:00 p. m. He will be speaking at the opening of the British exposition there.

A special program, which is to include Amos 'n' Andy, Phil Cook and a host of other stars, is to be presented by WJZ and stations from 4 p. m. in honor of the addition of two North Dakota stations, WDAP, Fargo and KFJR, Bismarck, to the NBC chain.

Another unusual broadcast is to be a debate between competing college teams in different cities. It is to be made by WABC and stations from 4 to 5 p. m. The subject is to deal with the Anderson plan incorporated in the Wickersham report, with the University of Chicago team in the argument, and the Harvard University debaters at WNAE, Boston, the affirmative. The judges will be in the WABC studios, New York.

GUILD MEMBERS SPONSOR BENEFIT

Congregational Guild members entertained Thursday afternoon with a benefit bridge in the apartments of Mrs. Fernan J. Stratton at the David A. Smith house on Grove street. Fifteen tables were at play during the afternoon hours and at the conclusion of play six lovely prizes were awarded.

Guild members who were in charge of the undertaking included Mrs. Claire Chappellear, Mrs. Herman J. Stratton, Mrs. Elmer Danner and Miss Elizabeth Johnson.

BULLETIN

For six years the Simmons Company has made an exhaustive study of sleep by one of the outstanding men in this line of work. They have recently revealed this to their exclusive dealers in the form of a morning picture. This picture shows the many positions of the body during the night and may now be seen for the first time in the East window of the Andre & Andre Store. Be sure and see what six years of scientific tests revealed about sleep.

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CAMILLE HIGGINS ELECTED JUNIOR HIGH MAY QUEEN

Camille Higgins will reign as Queen of the May in the Junior High school festival this spring according to the final results of the contest conducted by the David Prince students the past two weeks. Betty Wolfman, who received the next highest number of votes will serve as maid of honor.

Six other girls from among the ten who were nominated for the May Queen race will take parts of maids to the queen in the spring presentation. These are Eleanor Large, Ellen Virginia Rudisell, Eliza Ellen Wright, Betty Butterfield, Alice Busey and Marian Wright.

The eighth grade girls' glee club selected ten girls several weeks ago as the slates upon which the student body was to vote for the final choice of May Queen. This is an annual custom observed by the school.

ABANDON DEBATE AT ILLINOIS COLLEGE

Decline in interest in women's debating has led to abandonment of a schedule this year, according to the heads of the Illinois College speech department. Instead of the usual debate program, a contest will be held at the time of the annual men's basketball contest, Edward T. Vonbeck taking part in the event at Monmouth a few weeks ago. Hoyt C. Franchere of the speech department asserts that there is a probability that if talent in oration can be found among women of the college, a debate will be held in the hall this spring, an entry in the women's division will be made next year.

Debating, as far as women of the Little Nineteen are concerned, is becoming a lost art. The increasing difficulty of filling a representative schedule, and the increasing lack of capable women debaters here has prompted discontinuance of the schedule which had been followed in former years.

WESTRATE TO PREACH AT WHITE HALL

On next Sunday, Rev. L. M. Westrate is to fill the pulpit both morning and evening at the White Hall Baptist church. At the opening of the evening service a very attractive baptismal service will be held at which time a number of candidates will be immersed. The baptism will be beautifully illuminated with spot light and other effects. The sermon topics for the day will be Morning, "Seven Last Words from the Cross" and the evening, "Sound Asleep on Satan's Couch."

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Social and Club Events

Accept Invitation For Pot Luck Dinner

An invitation from Mrs. Martha Hoover for a pot luck dinner next Tuesday was accepted by members of the Woman's Relief Corps yesterday afternoon in their business session at the American Legion Home. Mrs. Hoover will entertain at this time in her home at 704 South East street. Other business was transacted at the meeting yesterday under the direction of Mrs. Gertrude Hocking.

Former Local Residents Meet In California

A group of former residents of Jacksonville, Illinois, who are residing in Gardena Valley, gathered at the home of Mrs. Reuben Shumaker on Palm avenue, recently. A pot luck luncheon was served. The time was passed in reminiscing. This is the first gathering of Jacksonville folks here and it is planned to have them at least twice a year.

Those present were Mrs. Mary E. Shumaker of Jacksonville, who is spending the winter in Long Beach, Calif., with her daughter Mrs. Myrtle Slaughter Spikans, who was also present; Mrs. Julia N. Saltee of Long Beach; Mrs. T. C. Eastman and her sister Miss Anna Kemper; Mrs. Bruce Stanford and children; Mrs. Roy Blanchard; Mrs. Will Schofield; Mrs. Elizabeth Harney; Mrs. Eliza Taylor; Mrs. Ethel Bromley; Mrs. Shumaker; and Mrs. and Mrs. J. P. O'Haver, all of Gardena, Calif.

Mrs. Timmerman Gives Birthday Dinner

Mrs. F. J. Timmerman, 217 Allen avenue, entertained at a six o'clock birthday dinner in honor of her husband and father-in-law whose birthdays were March 12th and 13th respectively.

Guests at the dinner were, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Timmerman, Mrs. Elizabeth Hays, Alice Mae Timmerman of this city and Mrs. Elma Alexander and John Schall of Boardman.

A. A. U. W. To Give Benefit Bridge

The local branch of the American Association of University Women will sponsor a benefit bridge on the evening of Thursday, March 20th at 8 o'clock. The plan of the benefit has not yet been determined by the committee.

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Rev. R. V. Callaway of Woodson has received interesting word from his son, Paul Smith Callaway, of New York City in regard to the celebration which is being given Sunday, March 15, for Dr. T. Tertius Noble, organ and choir master of the St. Thomas Episcopal church. Mr. Callaway is a pupil of this well known composer and organist whose fiftieth anniversary as an organist is being observed the first of this coming week. Mr. Callaway is a special student of Dr. Noble who has said that he would not be surprised in a few years to find Mr. Paul Smith Callaway as one of the outstanding organists of the country. The son of the Woodson minister is now organist and choir master of St. Thomas Chapel, New York City.

TWELVE TAKE EXAMS

Twelve young men and women who desire to join the ranks of school teachers gathered today at the office of H. H. Vasconcellos, county superintendent of schools, to write the regular March examination. The examination will continue tomorrow.

STAPLETON ROLLER RINK

New Berlin, Ill.

Every Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday night, \$15 cash prize awarded best skaters every Sunday.

DANCE! DANCE! AUTO INN, TONIGHT DeBolt's Orchestra

Group singing was enjoyed at different times throughout the evening. Miss Opal Tilman led the music and Miss Marjorie Thelvat accompanied at the piano. Attractive combinations of green and white had been used to decorate the dinner tables.

H. S. Students, Alumni Attend Sophomore Dance

A good crowd of students and alumni of the Jacksonville high school thronged the floor of the David Prince gymnasium last night in response to the dance invitation issued by the sophomore class of the school. From the hour of seven-thirty o'clock on until late in the evening Morris Craig and his orchestra played a lively program of popular numbers for the entertainment of the guests. Floor lamps and attractive seating arrangements were to be seen around the sides of the room thus relieving the wide expanse of the gymnasium.

Miss Helen Kamm, class advisor, directed plans made by the sophomore students and was assisted in the work by the following committees:

General chairman—Richard Bancroft.

Social committee—Betty Stevenson, Emeline Harber, Helen Mallen, Evelyn Ferguson, Dawn Cunningham, Elmer Zahn and Aileen Murphy.

Music and refreshments—Emeline Harber.

Decorations—Betty Stevenson.

Publicity and tickets—Elmer Zahn.

Miss Wanda St. Claire, of Springfield, was among those who were looking after business interests here Friday afternoon.

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Iowa Professor Gives The Detailed Story About Iowa Suspension From Big Ten

Des Moines, March 13.—(AP)—The detailed story of the Big Ten conference meeting at Evanston, Ill., May 23, 1929, at which the University of Iowa was suspended from the league, was given by Prof. Louis Pelzer, Iowa's faculty representative.

Pelzer read a prepared statement to the conference committee investigating the university's administration. He followed as a witness Paul E. Belting, who was deposed as athletic director three weeks before the action.

The committee questioned Pelzer, pointing out that the suspension was based on the charges presented to the conference faculty group. He explained he said that a vote to sever relations with Iowa was taken within 15 minutes after the allegations were made.

"I did not know what to do," Pelzer said, regarding the protest as a consequence.

"I don't think it was," commented Senator L. B. Dorton. Later he asked Pelzer, "were you satisfied Iowa should have been suspended?"

"I think they had the goods on me," was the reply.

Pelzer related that a committee of Big Ten athletes, composed of George Huff of Illinois, A. A. Stange of Chicago, and Major John L. Griffith, commissioner, reported at the meeting that the faculty group had three institutions had violated conference rules. Evidence against Iowa was conclusive, Huff said, according to the athletes.

A faculty committee, consisting of James Page of Minnesota, Thomas French of Chicago and C. A. Chace, coach of Illinois, was named to confer with the directors' representatives, he said.

They reported at the evening session of the faculty group, Pelzer continued, reading a list of charges against Iowa and recommending severance of relations.

"I admitted one charge that Iowa had not the regular sign eligibility blanks," Pelzer said. "I cited them as the mandate of the council. This was known to the conference for years and was never repudiated."

"A copy of the charges was never given me, although I asked Major Griffith for one," Griffith told me the decisive charge was Auditor W. H. Cobb's letter to Willis Mercer saying athletes' tuition must be paid."

Mercer, an Iowa merchant, was director of an annual fund to aid athletes. Belting deposed earlier today that he gave a copy of the letter to Griffith.

Pelzer refused to tell the committee the two other schools mentioned by the directors' committee. He indicated that the reason Iowa's violation was considered more serious was the belief that school officials knew of the infractions.

Cross examination of Belting was completed today. He denied he had been unpopular, the reason given by President Walter A. Jessup for his dismissal.

Belting admitted that Jessup had not told him specifically to use athletic department funds as a loan to athletes, but told him to "get the money for tuition." He said he had no other funds available.

The "process was unable to say whether Jessup bore any of the blame," as the other three discussed the subject again.

A. J. Funk of Riceston made a business trip to the city Friday.

ILLINOIS LEADS IN MAT MEET

Chicago, March 13.—(AP)—Illinois grapplers took the lead in the struggle for Big Ten wrestling championships today by placing all three of its entries past the first round in the lighter divisions. Indiana, Chicago, Iowa and Michigan each placed two, although Michigan's pair got through with byes as did one from Iowa.

Wisconsin, Minnesota and Purdue each sent one survivor into the second round.

The first round results:

115 pound division: Aldridge, Indiana, defeated Hays, Wisconsin, decision, 6 minutes and 53 seconds; Salomons, Illinois, defeated Bull, Purdue, decision, 9 minutes, 22 seconds; Mueller, Iowa, defeated Bernstein, Chicago, decision, 5 minutes, 11 seconds; Sigwart, Michigan, drew a bye.

126 pound division: Dooley, Illinois, defeated Hawkins, Indiana, decision, one minute, 57 seconds; Sheere, Chicago, defeated Ward, Purdue, overtime decision, two minutes, 57 seconds; Scott, Wisconsin, defeated Otto, Michigan, fall, 8 minutes, 32 seconds; Peere, Iowa, drew a bye.

135 pound division: Hauberg, Minnesota, defeated Adler, Chicago, overtime fall, 15 minutes, 38 seconds; Emmons, Illinois, defeated Stanek, Wisconsin, fall, three minutes, 35 seconds; Belshaw, Indiana, defeated Britt, Purdue, fall, six minutes, 45 seconds; Woodward, Michigan, drew a bye.

145 pound division: Dyer, Chicago, defeated Benn, Michigan, decision, six minutes, 45 seconds.

155 pound division: Kintzler, Purdue, defeated Karsten, Wisconsin, fall, three minutes, 47 seconds.

CONDITION UNCHANGED

St. Louis, Mo., March 13.—(AP)—The condition of Ban Johnson, former head of the American League, who is seriously ill here, was unchanged tonight.

Read the Classified Ads.

Joe McCarthy New Pilot Of New York Yankees Seems To Have Big Pitching Problems

St. Petersburg, Fla., March 13.—(AP)—When Joe McCarthy took over the old national league teaming grounds for a hit at the New York Yankees, he fell heir to a number of things, including the world's highest salaried performer and a fine, large pitching problem.

Opinions as to what McCarthy will get out of the combination vary, but if his five-year record with the Chicago Cubs may be taken as a criterion, the Yankees' destinies are in very good hands. He always had the Cubs up there, or thereabouts, and the consensus seems to be that the Yankees will be similarly militant during his reign.

McCarthy is proceeding cautiously, making no snap judgment on his players or his chances of a pennant. As he what he thinks of this or that player and he comes right back at you.

"Well, what do you think of him?" He looks good to me so far."

There were no radical alterations in the Yankee lineup. It will be pretty much the same slugging outfit that performed for the late Miller Huggins. There is a possibility of an infield shakeup, providing the veteran Joe Sewell continues to go at third base like he has in training.

The question of a capable mound staff is the biggest thing on McCarthy's mind there can be little doubt. He has seventeen pitchers in camp, including seven holdovers. Out of the lot he hopes mightily to find a set of fingers who can hold the heavy ball, wreaking havoc on Ruthie Gehrig, Luzzetti, Combs, Dickey—does its stuff.

In Herb Pennock, Charles Ruffing, George Pipgras, Henry Johnson and Ed Wells, there is the nucleus of a fair to middling staff. Pipgras, however, now is recovering from an appendicitis operation and will not be ready to take his turn until the

K. C. INDOOR MEET TO END SEASON

New York, Mar. 13.—(AP)—The eastern indoor track season comes to a blazing finale tomorrow night in the historic Knights of Columbus games, with a large field of national and international champions ready for a final assault on the indoor records.

Toting the mark in the various events in Madison Square Garden will be such outstanding performers as Leo Lermond, national two mile indoor champion, Ray Couger, Illinois A. C., filer who won the 1,000-yard crown a few weeks ago; Fred Sturdy, the slim pole vaulter from the Los Angeles A. C.; Bernie McCafferty, Holy Cross' middle distance star; George Spitz, world record holder in the high jump indoors; Ira Singer, National spring champion, and Harold Osborn, the Virginia schoolmaster and perennial threat in the high jump.

The 60-yard hurdles will see the return to competition of John Collier, the ten rounds star who has been teaching in Turkey for two years. Collier says he has been practicing regularly and believes he can still run the hurdles close to the record.

ALL SET FOR THE ILLINOIS RELAYS

Champaign, Ill., March 13.—(AP)—Champaign was the city of the "fastest humans" tonight as nearly 700 track stars from 58 universities and colleges checked in for the thirteenth annual Illinois relay carnival. They will compete in a series of eight relays, 10 special events and the individual all-around championship tomorrow afternoon and night.

Barney Berlinger, Pennsylvania's great star who is back to defend his championship in the all-event classic, stood out tonight as the only athlete in the large delegation fairly certain of an easy road ahead. Berlinger will meet many competitors but few granted them a chance to dethrone him tomorrow.

The entire list, which included stars from the Big Ten, Big Six, the Missouri Valley, midwestern conference and numerous unaffiliated colleges and universities from New Mexico to Pennsylvania, was studied with stars.

HUGGINS TABLET IS UNVEILED

St. Petersburg, Fla., Mar. 13.—(AP)—A tablet was unveiled and a baseball field was dedicated here today in memory of the late Miller Huggins, pilot of the New York Yankees.

Notables in the world of baseball attended the ceremonies at Crescent Lake Park.

After the invocation by the Rev. W. F. Conner, of Pittsburgh, Miss Myrtle Huggins, sister of the late pilot, unveiled the bronze tablet before a crowd of more than 2,000 persons.

Al Lange, former mayor of St. Petersburg, read the inscription, which introduced several baseball leaders, among them Commissioner K. M. Landis; John Heydler, president of the National league; E. S. Barnard, president of the American league, and Colonel Jacob Ruppert, owner of the Yanks.

SECTION TWELVE WINS DAVID PRINCE TOURNEY

The basketball tournament being played by the teams of the various sections of the David Prince school was brought to a close yesterday afternoon when the teams from Section 12 met in the championship game. Section 12, seven-grade section, shut out Section 1, an eighth grade section, by a score of 22 to 9.

Winston was the high scorer for the winners, with eight points, and Section 12 met in the championship game. Section 12, seven-grade section, shut out Section 1, an eighth grade section, by a score of 22 to 9.

The box score:

| Section 1 (9) | FG | FT | PF | TP |
|---------------|----|----|----|----|
| Carter, f | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Enriquez, f | 2 | 1 | 0 | 5 |
| Moseley, c | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| McDonald, g | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 4 | 1 | 4 | 9 |

| Section 12 (2) | FG | FT | PF | TP |
|----------------|----|----|----|----|
| Watkins, f | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| Watson, f | 3 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Winston, g | 2 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| McDonald, g | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 10 | 2 | 3 | 22 |

TRACK MEET FOR WOMEN WILL BE HELD TONIGHT

Newark, N. J., March 13.—(AP)—With Stella Walsh of Cleveland and Mary Carew of Medford, Mass., as the leading attractions, the national indoor track and field championships for women will be held here tomorrow night in the 113th regiment armory.

Miss Walsh, who holds numerous world's records, will defend her title in the 220 yard dash, but will not attempt the 40-yard sprint, in which her rival, Miss Carew, took her measure last year. Miss Carew will attempt both dashes, however, defending her 40-yard title and attempting to capture Miss Walsh's 220-yard crown.

LOS ANGELES SLAUGHTERED

Los Angeles, Mar. 13.—(AP)—The Cubs slaughtered the Los Angeles Angels, 16 to 1, in their opening spring exhibition game today, while Pat Malone and Charlie Root held the Angels to five hits, the Cubs battered three pitchers for 22. Manager Hornsby drove out a home run in the first inning with two men on base.

Eighteen players were used by the Cubs.

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|--|-------------|
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Twice Whipped By Protege Of Jack Sharkey, Loughran Scores Decisive Victory

By Edward J. Neil

Madison Square Garden, New York, March 13.—(AP)—Before a crowd of 11,000, Tommy Loughran, turned one of the most brilliant exhibitions of his long career tonight to confound and all but overwhelm Ernie Schaaf, Boston's big blonde heavyweight.

Twice whipped by the husky protege of Jack Sharkey, Tommy turned on his conqueror tonight and flogged him with a left hand that never seemed to leave Schaaf's features. He jabbed with it, hooked it to the head and body, fended for openings for his right, and plastered Ernie so thoroughly with leather that the decision in Tommy's favor at the end of the ten rounds was just a matter of official record.

Loughran tonight was the master of a couple years back, the canny, sharpshooting speedster who stalked in kingly fashion through the light heavyweight ranks. He never let the bulky Bostonian himself to punch, tied him up neatly in the clinches and easily won seven of the ten rounds.

Toward the close, with the battle won and the crowd laughing openly at Schaaf's dogged efforts to land, Tommy let down and Ernie battered him about the body. Tommy pulled up each time there was danger ahead, however, set the left hand to pumping and stopped Schaaf's onslaughts. Loughran won seven of the ten rounds, most of them by ridiculously large margins while Schaaf held him even in the fourth and won the ninth and tenth with his belated right.

It was a sweet victory for Loughran, wiping out his past defeats at the hands of Schaaf and lifting the former light heavyweight champion right back into the middle of the heavyweight picture.

Loughran weighed 182½, Schaaf 200.

DECATUR WINS OVER TRENTON

Paxton, Ill., March 13.—(AP)—Decatur gained revenge over Trenton in the Illinois State Amateur Independent basketball tournament today. The two teams played yesterday and Trenton won 21 to 16. Decatur protested, charging that Trenton had used ineligible men. The tournament officials ordered the game played over today and Decatur won 22 to 17 after a spirited battle.

Other results:

Taylorville 24; Herrin 2; McLeansboro 41; Mattoon 24; Fairview 22; South 25; Chicago 17; Decatur-Wabash Blues 23; Greenup 20.

East St. Louis 47; Macomb 22; Waterman 35; Dunckirk 30; Berwyn 21; Woodlawn 6; (Forfeit); Ellsworth 29; Gilman 24; Cowden 32; Forrest 26.

FIGHT BY ROUNDS

ROUND 1—Schaaf matched jabs with the smart Philadelphia, slapping Tommy back on his heels with two straight shots. Loughran jumped in with two hard left hooks to the head and the crowd cheered him on. Tommy peppered Schaaf's head steadily with a fine left but took a hard left hook to the chin and a solid right to the ribs in return. Ernie sunk a hard left to the ribs at the bell.

ROUND 2—They sparred carefully for full minute, pecking at each other with long left jabs. Tommy flicked the big blonde's features with his left and then switched to the body. He rammed both hands into Schaaf's body and the sailor wound up tangled in the ropes when his right hand missed. Boxing perfectly, Loughran dazzled Schaaf with a succession of lefts and rights and carefully swung the tide to his own corner when the bell found him ready to sit right down.

ROUND 3—Schaaf switched from a boxing role and tried to take the offensive but he ran straight into Loughran's sharp left. Schaaf couldn't seem to get his gloves on the fleet Philadelphia and he was blinking constantly under the stream of lefts that bounced from his features. Schaaf dug two left hooks into Loughran's side, but Tommy was working on his face with that smart left hand, all ready to sit down again in his corner when the gong sounded.

ROUND 4—Tommy missed a left as he fell in close and Schaaf swung him with his right into the stomach. Another body belt doubled Loughran and he was forced to hold as Schaaf, much the stronger smashed at him with both hands. Tommy kept the plodding blond away with his left for a moment but Schaaf smashed a right to the heart and again Loughran was hurt. Tommy geared the left to top speed, however, and started a stream of blood from Schaaf's nose with his left jab as the bell sounded.

ROUND 5—Schaaf took another gross of jabs on his tender nose before he sank a harsh left into Loughran's body. Tommy punched back fiercely and nailed Schaaf twice with crackling right crosses to the head. Ernie tore in furiously with both hands and Loughran made him miss, jabbed him off balance, tied him up perfectly in the clinches and was ready to sit down again in his own corner, to the huge delight of the crowd, as the bell clanged.

ROUND 6—Cooly Loughran stepped around the ring, slapping the blond plodder with his left, hooking to the head, keeping the big sailor constantly off balance. It was a remarkable exhibition of skill and craft and Schaaf seemed bewildered in his efforts to land a solid wallop. Schaaf tried to get in a hard right and but Loughran tied him up nicely. It was all very one-sided.

ROUND 7—Schaaf rushed from his corner, a new maneuver, but all it got him was a half dozen jabs on the sore nose. Loughran flipped two jabs into Ernie's puzzled head, hooked twice with his left, crossed beautiful right to the chin, and then calmly tied Schaaf into a sailor's knot. Schaaf whipped one desperate right to Loughran's ribs, but Tommy crossed a right back into Ernie's teeth. Loughran was in complete command of the situation when the gong clanged.

ROUND 8—Still trying hard, Schaaf poked Tommy with two lefts to the face but ran into a hard right uppercut. Ernie chased Loughran all over the ring, swinging with everything he had in a valiant effort to turn the tide but Loughran coolly fended him off with his left, jabbing, hooking, crossing the right, ripping uppercuts into Schaaf's head in close. Schaaf was so enraged at his own futility that he kept right on punching after the bell.

ROUND 9—Schaaf rushed and Loughran shot his head back with a right uppercut. They sparred carefully, Loughran keeping that rapier

BRAVES WHIP CHAMPS

St. Petersburg, Fla., March 13.—(AP)—The Boston Braves chose Friday the thirteenth to break their losing streak by defeating the world's champion Athletics 4 to 2.

The Braves made an uphill fight, as the A's scored a couple of runs in the first inning which kept them out in front until the sixth, when the New England team struggled ahead, only to have the champions even it up in the seventh. The winning run, scored by the Braves in the last inning.

Score:

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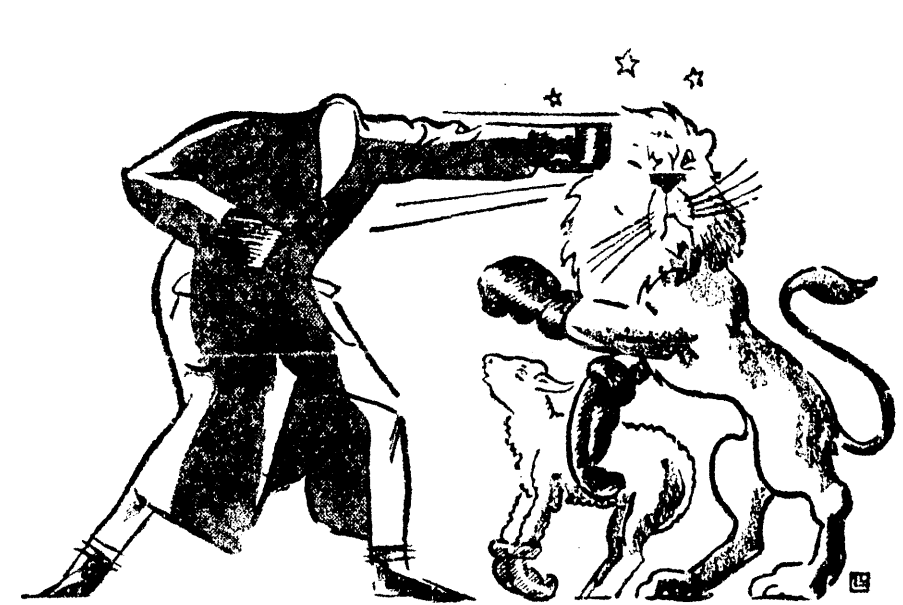
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Training Camp News

Frisch Reports
Bradenton, Fla., March 13.—(AP)—Although Frankie Fritsch, captain of the Cardinals has finally made his appearance here, it is unlikely that he will join the squad for a week at least.

The second sacker said it would take only a few days for him to get in shape, but Manager Gabby Street has decided to let him take things easy for a while. In the meantime, Bill Myers, the ex-Danville shortstop, will continue as second baseman.

Cuccinello Day
Tampa, Fla., March 13.—(AP)—The Tampa Italian colony designated tomorrow as Cuccinello day and will pay tribute then to Tony Cuccinello, Cincinnati Reds second baseman when the latter play an exhibition game with the New York Yankees. Tony Lazzari, Yank infielder, also will be included in the festivity. A long batting and infield practice featured today's training program.

Storti Looks Good
West Palm Beach, Fla., March 13.—(AP)—Lindel Storti, the stepchild among the young fielders from Wichita Falls, quietly but effectively, is gaining the respect of the Brownie officials and fans who are watching the workouts here.

Storti is called the stepchild because he is up against the proposition of pushing Oscar Malillo to the bench and ousting that courageous pepper pot from the regular squad is a man-sized job.

Named Clean-up Man
San Antonio, Tex., March 13.—(AP)—Mel Simons, hustling rookie from Louisville, will be clean-up man for the White Sox when they engage in their first spring exhibition game with the New York Giants tomorrow.

Manager Donie Bush decided to use Simons in the clean-up position, using Carl Reynolds before him and Smead Jolley fifth in the batting order. Jolley batted fourth last year but believes he can do better in first place. Reynolds prefers to hit third.

Indians Active
New Orleans, March 13.—(AP)—The Cleveland Indians went through three hours of intensive training here today.

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Drills Yankees
St. Petersburg, Fla., March 13.—(AP)—Joe McCarthy today took full advantage of the best weather he's seen so far in Florida to put his New York Yankees through a three-hour drill the longest and hardest of the season.

Joe continued his infield experiments, working Tony Lazzari at both third and second, Ben Chapman at second and third and Joe Sewell at third.

Players Overweight
San Antonio, Tex., Mar. 13.—(AP)—J. Francis Hogan and five other members of the New York Giants have a bone to pick with Manager John J. McGraw. Bill Walker, Jim Tennant, Bob O'Farrell, Red Adams and John Berly all were ordered out to the ball park to labor this afternoon while the rest of the squad enjoyed lay-offs. The secret is that all six are overweight. Hogan is the chief offender, scaling something over 250 pounds.

BROOKLYN WINS
Clearwater, Fla., Mar. 13.—(AP)—With Earl Mattingly and Bill Greene, a pair of rookies up from Macon, Ga., leading the hurling duties, the Brooklyn Dodgers second string edged out a 10 to 9 decision over the House of David today.

Score by innings:
House of David, 120 121 002—9 8 4
Brooklyn, 000 000 000—10 15 1
Starnes, Cronk and Herbst; Mattingly, Greene and Lombardi.

BRUSHING UP SPORTS . . By Laufer



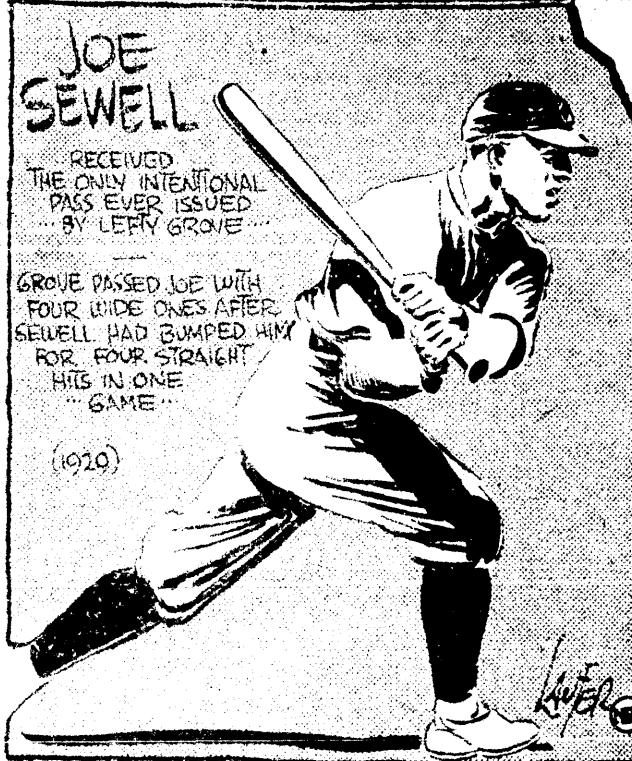
A LIGHTNING HOMER!

The Bumble Bees and the Wasp Bees of Captain Nutt's Sixth Street ball team, played a game at Norwood Inn yesterday before dinner.

The game went 12 innings before either team scored, and that is going some for a bunch of old-timers. In the 13th inning Briggs Collins, pitcher for the Bumble Bees, swung one to right field for a home run. The hit would not have gone for a home run had not lightning struck the Bumble Bees. As the ball was flying toward the right fielder, who was about to make a play on it, the ball was struck by lightning.

This scared the fielder so badly he ran in the opposite direction. The ball, half burnt, went to the roadside and when it was recovered, after being tossed around a couple of times, it fell to pieces.

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I. T. U. WILL NOT HAVE BALL CLUB

M. J. "Pat" Crowe, manager of the I. T. U. baseball team of 1930 announced yesterday that there will be no I. T. U. baseball club for 1931. Mr. Crowe stated that he will have no time to give to the duties of running a ball club this year.

MRS. JONES WINS

Bethlehem, Pa., Mar. 13.—Mrs. Melba Jones, Chicago, won the 1931-32 women's golf championship, defeating Mrs. Helen B. Stetson, Philadelphia 3 and 2. The Chicago woman's victory culminated a week of remarkable golf during which she won the qualifying medal and three subsequent matches by the record margin of 7 and 5.

DANCE! DANCE!
AUTO INN, TONIGHT
DeBolt's Orchestra

Naples

A male quartet composed of Prof. Harry Hackard, Stanley Baumgardner, Rev. C. A. Smith and Ed Gregory has been organized, with Miss Eula Baumgardner as accompanist. Recently they sang a number of songs for Mrs. Florence Hale, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Hatfield of Elkhart, Ind., spent the day recently with Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Brackett of Elkhart.

William Snow donated two teams the first of this week to dig a road to Bluffs, since Naples was shut off for three days. A big snow pile was made and twenty men went out and dug as far as Bluffs Tuesday. They made their way toward Morehead and found that at places in the road the snow had drifted over the fence.

Mrs. Letta Garrison, who is past eighty years old, is confined to her bed with measles.

Ray Williams left recently for El-

dred, Ill., where he has employment on the Hardin bridge.

William Snow, Henry Barfield and John Barfield had business in Bluffs this week.

Rev. C. A. Smith and sister, Mrs. Ida Moore, attended the all day M. E. church meeting at Morehead.

Harold Green was a Bluffs visitor recently.

FIGHTER EXONERATED

Prescott, Ariz., Mar. 13.—(P)—John H. Lewis, Phoenix, Arizona, negro middleweight fighter, was absolved of blame today for the death here Wednesday night of Sam J. Terrin, local boxer who died in the ring a few minutes after he had been knocked out by a smashing blow to the heart.

PURSE RETURNED

Benton, Ill., March 13.—(P)—A purse containing more than \$500 found on the state highway by George Bolen, Logan miner, has been returned by him to its owner, Mrs. Elizabeth Vinson, of Thompsonville.

FAN BREEZES

By Ernest Savage

Even an experienced athlete may crack in the fire of red-hot competition, so it is no wonder that the high school boys, representing almost 600 schools, who competed in the district tournaments should pull many "for the books."

For every goat, however, there were probably two heroes, as teams atoned for a season's mediocrity by beating an old rival in the district tournament or by becoming inspired by the crowd to give the old dope bucket a strenuous kick.

Probably the toughest break of the first round engagements fell to Joliet, beaten by Blue Island, by one point in its first game and on its home floor. A Joliet player, with the score tied, and 30 seconds to go, stepped to the free-throw line and tossed in a goal—only to have it disallowed because his foot was over the black mark. Joliet is coached, incidentally, by Doug Mills, himself, a former University of Illinois star, and noted for his coolness under fire.

Over at Dixon, Bankes of Mendota, fouled while shooting, was given two free throws after the game was over, but missed both of them and a chance to tie the game. Sterling won 18-16.

On the other hand was the lad on Carlinville's five who was steady enough to sink nine free throws in that many trials.

To balance that was the Elkhart player who made one free throw in

14 attempts. Urbana High missed 11 out of 13 but managed to win and so it goes.

Tuscola had a story-book tale in the district meet there. They scored no field goals the last two quarters and won an overtime game from Villa Grove only by sinking a free throw in each of the last two quarters and the overtime session.

It is the free throw line which decides many of these tooth-and-nail battles, which makes the district tournaments a time for loyal fans to go quite mad. This is especially true since the slow-break offense became popular.

And there is no place where coolness stands a player in much good stead or where hours of practice and good coaching show. A high school boy who can toe that mark and, with a district title depending on the toss of his hands, coolly switch the ball through the basket—that boy has nerves as steady as iron, or no nerves at all. In either case we may more luck to him, if he needs it. And if he missed and thereby became the goat, there is another district tournament next year.

Little Freddie Faletti of Springfield, a guard on Coach Nesti's Hall Township team, was a near-hero and then the goat, as it were, when Hall muffed its semi-final to Malden at Princeton.

With the score tied, 20-20, and 10 seconds to play, Freddie stepped to

the free throw line and coolly dropped in a free throw to win the game but the throw was disallowed on the ruling of "stepping on or over the restraining line."

Malden then won the contest in overtime, 22-20.

TOURNAMENT RESULTS

At East St. Louis: Collinsville 32; Villa 23.
At East St. Louis 25; Hillsboro 22.
At Bridgeport: Lawrenceville 36; Vandalla 18.
At Mt. Vernon 36; Mattoon 18.
At Carbondale: Johnston City 17; Benton 15.
Simpson 12; Murphysboro 10.
At Peoria: Peoria Manual 27; Monmouth 15.
Wenona 12; Farmington 11.
At Moline: Kewanee 22; Sterling 19.
Galesburg 37; Moline 23.
At Springfield: Springfield 39; University High 20.
Decatur 25; Quincy 20.
At Joliet: East Aurora 23; Crane (Chicago) 21.
Harrison (Chi.) 26; Waterman 23.
At Danville: Armstrong 48; Bloom (Chicago) 35.
Rantoul 18; Urbana 12.

WILL VOTE ON UTILITIES

Mattoon, Ill., Mar. 13.—(P)—Mattoon will vote April 21 on an proposal to transfer control of its public utilities from the Illinois Commerce Commission to the city.

HUSBAND GETS BREAK

San Francisco, Mar. 13.—(P)—A husband is obliged to pay for his wife's second honeymoon, the state district court of appeals ruled today. The court commented it was against all public policy for a divorced husband to pay alimony after his wife had remarried.

16 TEAMS SURVIVE CAGE SEMI-FINALS

Chicago, March 13.—(P)—Peoria Manual, Wenona, Springfield, Decatur, Kewanee, Galesburg, East Aurora, Harrison of Chicago, East St. Louis, Collinsville, Armstrong, Rantoul, Simpson, Johnston City, Lawrenceville and Mr. Vernon stuck in the fight for the Illinois State High School Basketball championship tonight by winning their semi-final games in the sectional tournaments.

The 16 survivors will meet in the sectional finals tomorrow night to determine the eight contenders in the finals at Champaign next week.

Tonight's games for the most part were close and hard fought although here and there a few teams romped to victory with ease. Peoria Manual, the defending titleholder, kept in the running, defeating the strong Monmouth team, 27 to 15 at Peoria.

The warmest competition of the night was displayed at Carbondale. Simpson and Murphysboro fought a heads up battle all the way and Simpson finally staggered in with a 12 to 10 victory. Johnston City, former champions, barely outscored Benton, 17 to 15, on the same floor.

Bridgeport's semi-final was a dull affair, Lawrenceville defeating Vandalla and Mt. Vernon dropping Mattoon by identical scores of 36 to 18.

Chicago's entries in the championship struggle were reduced to one tonight when East Aurora defeated Crane 23 to 21. In a hair-raising game at Joliet, Harrison, the sole Chicago survivor, remained in the running by defeating Waterman, 36 to 25, on the same floor. Of the two Chicago teams, Crane was rated the strongest.

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as it had defeated Harrison this season.

Pairings for the sectional finals tomorrow night:

At Bridgeport—Lawrenceville vs. Mt. Vernon.
At Carbondale—Simpson vs. Johnston City.
At Danville—Armstrong vs. Rantoul.
At East St. Louis—East St. Louis vs. Collinsville.
At Joliet—East Aurora vs. Harrison of Chicago.
At Moline—Kewanee vs. Galesburg.
At Peoria—Peoria Manual vs. Wenona.
At Springfield—Springfield vs. Decatur.

Bergstrom Again is Honored With Tournament Task

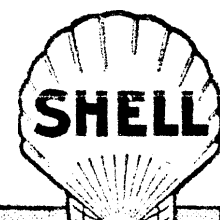
Arthur Bergstrom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Bergstrom, 620 Hardin avenue, has been named as one of the officials who will handle the state finals of the Illinois High School Athletic Association. Bergstrom, who is now teaching at Casey, Ill., will work with Milton Forsythe of Mt. Vernon, and A. C. Serfling of Oak Park.

Bergstrom officiated at the state finals last year, and his work was so highly satisfactory that he was assigned again this year. Serfling also has worked in the state championship round of the tournament, but Forsythe will be working for the first time in the finals. Bergstrom is a graduate of Illinois college and Jacksonville High.

H. V. Porter, assistant manager of the I. H. S. A. A., made the announcement regarding the officials. Porter added that the selection was made in an effort to secure an official from each section of the state.

William Morrow, of the Asbury community, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

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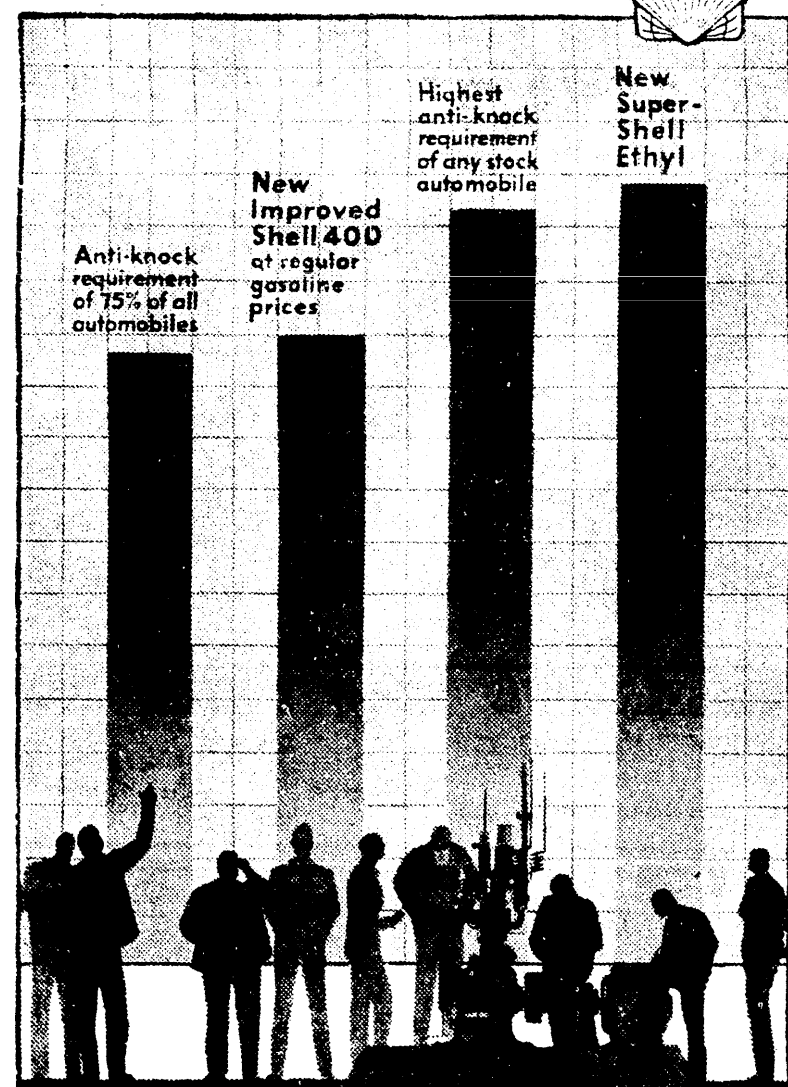
In anti-knock value New Improved Shell 400 is far above common gasoline—and above many premium priced brands.

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Latest Financial and Market News

STOCK MARKET
LACKS INTEREST

Stock Averages, March 13. (Copy-right, 1931, Standard Statistics Co.)

| | 50 | 20 | 20 | 90 |
|---------------------|-------------|-------|-------|-------|
| Ind's R's U's Total | 132.9 | 96.4 | 104.8 | 137.5 |
| Prev. Day | 132.4 | 96.8 | 105.0 | 137.5 |
| Month Ago | 132.4 | 104.3 | 100.0 | 136.4 |
| Year Ago | 134.4 | 121.1 | 97.4 | 137.4 |
| 2 Yrs Ago | 123.8 | 134.0 | 121.1 | 200.4 |
| 3 Yrs Ago | 150.0 | 120.0 | 133.2 | 143.3 |
| High (1931) | 140.2 | 106.2 | 106.2 | 144.3 |
| Low (1931) | 118.6 | 95.2 | 109.3 | 122.8 |
| High (1930) | 202.4 | 141.6 | 201.3 | 206.8 |
| Low (1930) | 112.9 | 96.4 | 105.1 | 114.7 |
| High (1929) | 252.8 | 177.8 | 251.1 | 258.5 |
| Low (1929) | 141.3 | 117.7 | 156.3 | 140.2 |
| Total sales | 246,000 | | | |
| Stocks | \$9,200,000 | | | |

By John L. Cooley.
Associated Press Financial Writer.
New York, March 13.—(AP)—Development of interest in the share market was lacking today, and trading followed the pattern laid down earlier in the week—a slow, irregular decline with small fluctuations. Some approximately 2,400,000 shares.

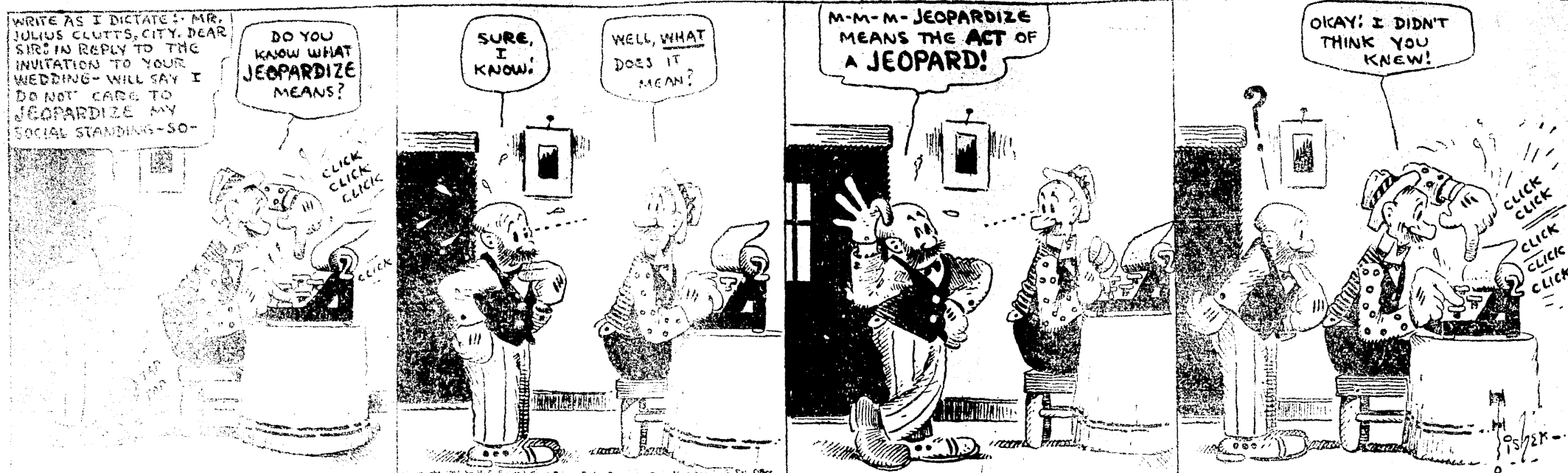
At its worst the market was off 1 to 6 points; at its best a few stocks sold above yesterday's close. At the close some moderate losses predominated.

The action of U. S. Steel, General Electric, Radio, General Motors and some other equally prominent shares, none of which responded to pressure, sent the shorts gaining for less reason than for the usual volatility of the market. Westinghouse, American Water Works, Allied Chemical, Case, Bethlehem Steel, Johns-Manville, Eastman Kodak and Western Union in the absence of important liquidation in the market, showed a volume stimulated enough to allow them to reach the extreme decline in half. Allied Chemical, which had been off 3-4 to the lowest price in three years, was down only a fraction of a point at the close. Eastman's 6-1/2 point drop was followed, Westinghouse got back two-thirds of its 3 point recession and Water Works broke of 4 downward to a little more than 1.

U. S. Steel yielded to 142-1/2, a low for the market, but closed 5-8 higher. American Can, which was unchanged, and American Telephone, ex-dividend, was half a point off. New York Central managed a rise of a point, but Atchafalaya, Baltimore & Ohio, the Pecos stocks and Wabash 3-1/2, 4-1/2, 5-1/2, 6-1/2, 7-1/2, 8-1/2, 9-1/2, 10-1/2, 11-1/2, 12-1/2, 13-1/2, 14-1/2, 15-1/2, 16-1/2, 17-1/2, 18-1/2, 19-1/2, 20-1/2, 21-1/2, 22-1/2, 23-1/2, 24-1/2, 25-1/2, 26-1/2, 27-1/2, 28-1/2, 29-1/2, 30-1/2, 31-1/2, 32-1/2, 33-1/2, 34-1/2, 35-1/2, 36-1/2, 37-1/2, 38-1/2, 39-1/2, 40-1/2, 41-1/2, 42-1/2, 43-1/2, 44-1/2, 45-1/2, 46-1/2, 47-1/2, 48-1/2, 49-1/2, 50-1/2, 51-1/2, 52-1/2, 53-1/2, 54-1/2, 55-1/2, 56-1/2, 57-1/2, 58-1/2, 59-1/2, 60-1/2, 61-1/2, 62-1/2, 63-1/2, 64-1/2, 65-1/2, 66-1/2, 67-1/2, 68-1/2, 69-1/2, 70-1/2, 71-1/2, 72-1/2, 73-1/2, 74-1/2, 75-1/2, 76-1/2, 77-1/2, 78-1/2, 79-1/2, 80-1/2, 81-1/2, 82-1/2, 83-1/2, 84-1/2, 85-1/2, 86-1/2, 87-1/2, 88-1/2, 89-1/2, 90-1/2, 91-1/2, 92-1/2, 93-1/2, 94-1/2, 95-1/2, 96-1/2, 97-1/2, 98-1/2, 99-1/2, 100-1/2, 101-1/2, 102-1/2, 103-1/2, 104-1/2, 105-1/2, 106-1/2, 107-1/2, 108-1/2, 109-1/2, 110-1/2, 111-1/2, 112-1/2, 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MUTT AND JEFF The Little Fellow Surprises Mutt—And Himself, Too!

By BUD FISHER



DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

| ACROSS | | | | | | | | | | Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle | | | | | | | | | | DOWN | | | | | | | | | |
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| 1. Horse of a certain gait | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6. Cover | | | | | | | | | |
| 2. Weep | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7. Dwarf | | | | | | | | | |
| 3. Carous | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8. However | | | | | | | | | |
| 12. Positive electric pole | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 9. French city | | | | | | | | | |
| 5. Turkish name | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10. The cream | | | | | | | | | |
| 6. Silver coins | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 11. Notes the speed of | | | | | | | | | |
| 7. Time intervening | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 12. Pertaining to | | | | | | | | | |
| 8. Attentively occupied | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 13. Devoured | | | | | | | | | |
| 9. Ceremony | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 21. Something | | | | | | | | | |
| 10. Mammalian pouch | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 22. Southern con- | | | | | | | | | |
| 11. Droop | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | stellation | | | | | | | | | |
| 12. Quantities of medicine | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 23. Most disab- | | | | | | | | | |
| 13. Article of belief | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | le | | | | | | | | | |
| 14. Regal residence | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 24. Nostrils | | | | | | | | | |
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READ THE STORY—THEN COLOR THE PICTURE

Said Clowdy Tynmite: "I hope that one. It's strong as it can be. They you kill no more antelope. They are fasten it so it won't fall. To them such pretty animal. I hate to see that isn't hard at all. You'll notice them skin. I don't think I could it is clinging to low branches of the tree. I couldn't kill a simple thing. My trip would be in vain."

"Ha, ha," laughed Scouty. "You are wrong, because I know that you are strong for killing one thing. That is time and you know well I'm right. You'd rather loaf than work a bit. So what you said just doesn't fit." Wee Clowdy blushed and frankly was a funny looking sight.

One of the hunters then said, "Well, we're going to rest here for a spell. Our camp is just around the bend. Why don't you come along? I don't know just how long 'twill take, but we'll prepare some antelope steak. I think you lads will like it, though it's just a wee bit strong."

"Oh, great!" cried Coppy. "I can eat a real good steak. 'Twill be a treat." And so they joined the hunters and soon reached the comfy camp. It wasn't long until a meal was cooked and my, it tasted real! Wee Clowdy stuffed and said, "I am a hungry little scamp!"

A real soft chirping filled the air and Scouty cried, "Look over there! What is that, in that spreading tree? A bird's nest, I'll just bet." And then he looked and, sure enough, the nest was made of twigs and stuff. Don't touch them," said a hunter. "It will only make them fret."

"Those birds are hammerheads and they have worked, I guess, both night and day to make their home a dandy place."

"The Tynmites visit a dairy farm in the next story."

CLERGYMAN SAYS HE WILL FILE CHARGES

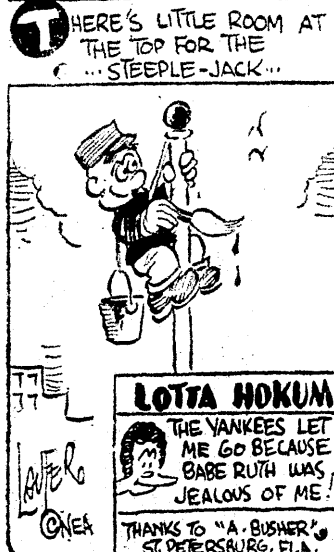
New York, Mar. 13.—(AP)—John Haynes Holmes, clergyman and chairman of the city affairs committee, a citizens' organization, announced today he would file with Governor Roosevelt specific charges against Mayor Walker, involving "incompetence, gross neglect and indifference to the welfare of the city."

Robert Simmons, S. Ward vice-chairman of the committee, said he favored waiting until the mayor returned from California and that a decision would be made by the committee today. Newspapers predicted the charges would be filed at once.

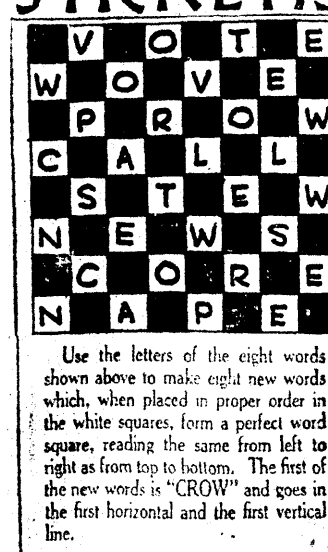
A committee of the directors of the Greater New York Federation of Churches, representing 475,000 members in seven Protestant denominations, has adopted a resolution demanding a non-partisan, city-wide investigation "that shall reveal both the innocent and the guilty." Copies were sent to Governor Roosevelt and members of the legislature.

J. T. Roberts of Springfield, representative of the Simmons company, was a visitor in this city Friday.

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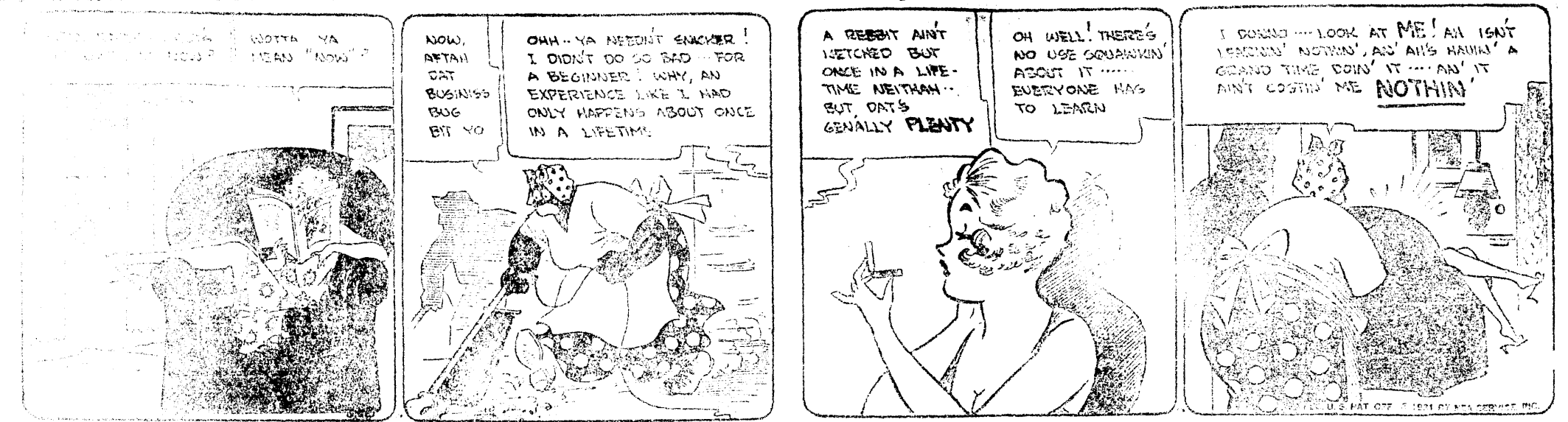
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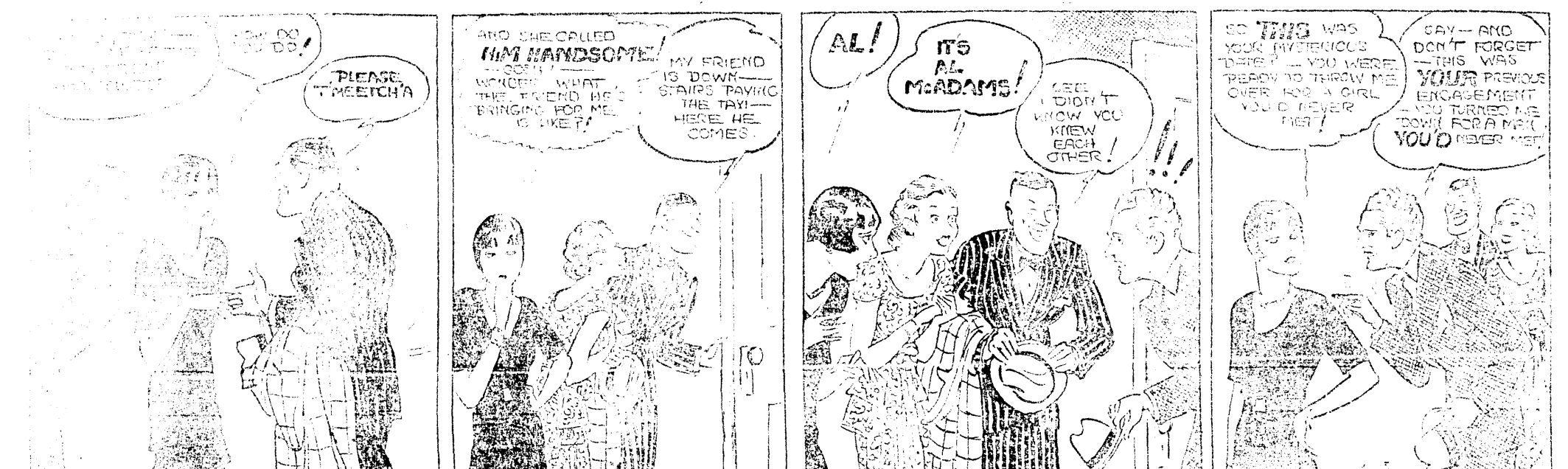
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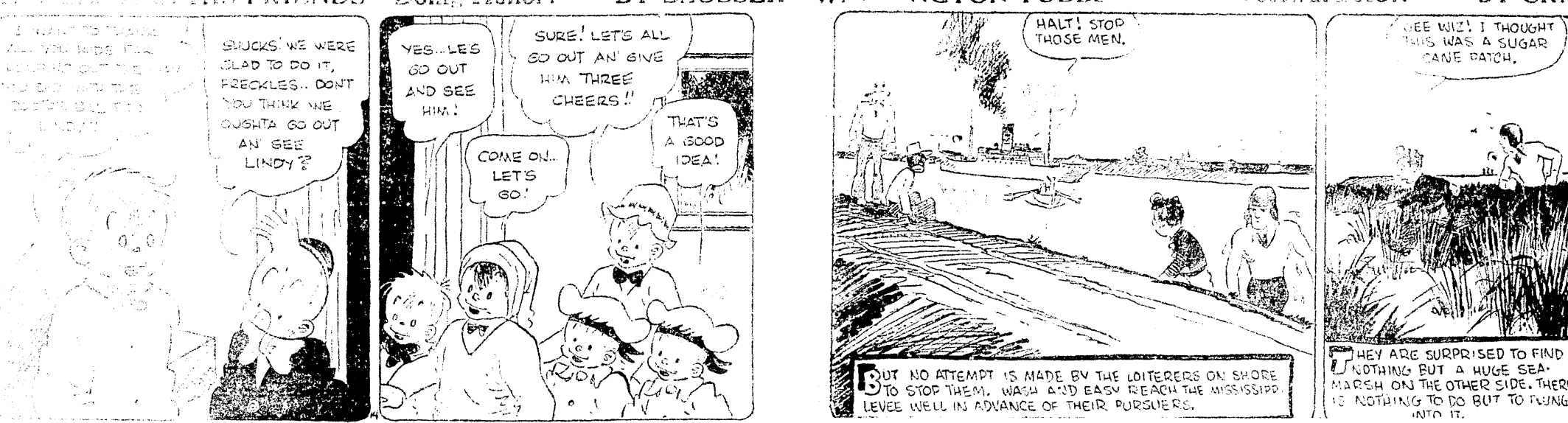
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| 496 to 510 words | 9.40 | 18.80 | 28.20 | 34.80 | 41.40 | 45.20 | 49.20 |
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| 706 to 720 words | 12.90 | 25.80 | 38.70 | 47.40 | 56.10 | 60.60 | 65.30 |
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| 946 to 960 words | 16.90 | 33.80 | 50.70 | 61.80 | 72.90 | 78.20 | 83.70 |
| 961 to 975 words | 17.15 | 34.30 | 51.45 | 62.70 | 73.95 | 79.30 | 84.85 |
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| 1471 to 1485 words | 25.65 | 51.30 | 76.95 | 93.30 | 109.65 | 116.70 | 123.95 |
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| 1651 to 1665 words | 28.65 | 57.30 | 85.95 | 104.10 | 122.25 | 129.90 | 137.75 |
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| 1771 to 1785 words | 30.65 | 61.30 | 91.95 | 111.30 | 130.65 | 138.70 | 146.95 |
| 1786 to 1800 words | 30.90 | 61.80 | 92.70 | 112.20 | 131.70 | 139.80 | 148.10 |
| 1801 to 1815 words | 31.15 | 62.30 | 93.45 | 113.10 | 132.75 | 140.90 | 149.25 |
| 1816 to 1830 words | 31.40 | 62.80 | 94.20 | 114.00 | 133.80 | 142.00 | 150.40 |
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| 1846 to 1860 words | 31.90 | 63.80 | 95.70 | 115.80 | 135.90 | 144.20 | 152.70 |
| 1861 to 1875 words | 32.15 | 64.30 | 96.45 | 116.70 | 136.95 | 145.30 | 153.85 |
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| 1891 to 1905 words | 32.65 | 65.30 | 97.95 | 118.50 | 139.05 | 147.50 | 156.15 |
| 1906 to 1920 words | 32.90 | 65.80 | 98.70 | 119.40 | 140.10 | 148.60 | 157.30 |
| 1921 to 1935 words | 33.15 | 66.30 | 99.45 | 120.30 | 141.15 | 149.70 | 158.45 |
| 1936 to 1950 words | 33.40 | 66.80 | 100.20 | 121.20 | 142.20 | 150.80 | 159.60 |
| 1951 to 1965 words | 33.65 | 67.30 | 100.95 | 122.10 | 143.25 | 151.90 | 160.75 |
| 1966 to 1980 words | 33.90 | 67.80 | 101.70 | 123.00 | 144.30 | 153.00 | 161.9 |

Chicago & Alton R. R. To Consider Plan To Operate New North, South Trains

By Staff Writer

Roadhouse, March 13.—(Special)—Declaring that the Chicago and Alton railroad could not continue to operate trains between Chicago and Jacksonville and Roadhouse and St. Louis at the present loss of revenue, C. W. Bearden, general superintendent of the Bloomington division of the road, tonight announced to consider a plan whereby Jacksonville and Roadhouse would be accommodated with an all-night train to Chicago and an early morning train to St. Louis and to give his answer to Secretary E. E. Welch of the Jacksonville Chamber of Commerce next Monday.

That much came out of a meeting held here tonight in the American Legion hall at which were representatives from Jacksonville, Roadhouse, White Hall, Roadhouse, Manchester and Jacksonville, all of them pleading with the Chicago and Alton not to remove the trains which, they declared, would cripple express and mail lines into their cities.

The suggested service, conceived by A. W. Welch, is that the Chicago and Alton carry passengers as far as Bloomington, over their main line from Chicago to St. Louis, leaving Chicago at 11:30 p. m. and arriving at Bloomington at 2:30 a. m. The plan suggested is to divert part of the St. Louis train to the route from Bloomington to Jacksonville, Roadhouse and St. Louis, arriving there early in the morning. The return train would leave St. Louis in the evening, come through Roadhouse and Jacksonville, and hook on to a fast train at Bloomington for Chicago, giving this area an all-night service to Chicago.

Trains which will be removed from service if the pending plan of the railroad is granted by the Illinois Commerce Commission, are Nos. 41 and 42 which run between Roadhouse and Chicago and return to Kansas City, and Nos. 26 and 31, which ply between St. Louis and Jacksonville, No. 15, a fast train out of Chicago to St. Louis also is included in the plan between the commission.

Bearden said tonight that the plan for service to supplement the loss of trains each way out of Jacksonville to St. Louis and Chicago. The proposed plan, however, for the train which was suggested to carry passengers from Chicago to Bloomington is the subject of a plea now before the Illinois Commerce Commission, asking its removal from service. There is also the question of handling mail and express at the various points along the way, Mr. Bearden pointed out.

Finer figures rapidly at the beginning of the meeting, Mr. Bearden quoted statistics showing that the loss from Jacksonville to St. Louis was earning an average slightly over 11 passengers a day for the full distance of the route. His figures were as follows:

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Plunging still deeper into the figures, Mr. Bearden pointed out that it cost 57 cents a mile to operate the gasoline trains between Jacksonville and St. Louis, and that the gross earnings showed only 25 cents a mile. He said that the Jacksonville Roadhouse train, which is operated at a cost of 43 cents a mile, gross earnings, figures covering the entire Chicago and Alton system based on the passenger revenue, showed a decrease of 20 per cent, mail business decreased 32 per cent, and express business fell off 28 per cent. The first two months of the present year, he pointed out, already showed a decline of 25 per cent under the present plan in the same time two months last year on passenger trains, mail showed a decrease of 12-14 per cent, and express decreased 30 per cent.

Doesn't Know Answer

"Frankly, gentlemen," said Mr. Bearden, "I don't know the answer." He stated the danger suggested by the feeling of the cities represented at the meeting, and added that the Chicago and Alton did not like to take off trains, but that it was a matter of self preservation. "We're proud of our service, on what there is left," he said. "There'll be more bankrupt roads in this country if they continue to defy the falling off of business," he prophesied.

Answering every argument advanced by the speakers from the various cities, Mr. Bearden and his assistant, E. H. York, division freight and passenger agent located at Springfield, plainly showed the position of the railroad. A new spirit of cooperation appeared over the meeting as the representatives rose to express their views.

James Orr, conductor of the Roadhouse bank, conducted the meeting as chairman. Mr. White, a banker of Jacksonville, was the first to express his views, stating that the communities effected by the proposed change had no club to wield, and that they did not like to see the trains taken from the schedule because of the difficulties it would cause in bringing mail to his city. He suggested a re-arrangement of schedule to serve the communities to a better advantage.

Mentions Moral Responsibility

Charles C. Carey, a Carrollton estate lawyer, brought out the moral responsibility of a railroad to a community. He also pointed out that the train which would be taken off from St. Louis to Roadhouse carried approximately 90 per cent of the mail and express business into Carrollton.

Dean Corso, stock raiser of White Hall, mentioned that there are regular periods of depression in all industries, and instead of comparing the loss of revenue from one year to another, suggested that the comparison of a year's business would

FUNERAL RITES J. P. HARDWICK TO BE SUNDAY

South Winchester Community Plans Meeting for March 26

Winchester, March 13.—Funeral services for John Palmer Hardwick will be held from the Danter Funeral home on Sunday afternoon at two o'clock. Rev. E. T. Palmer will be in charge of the services. Interment will be made in the Kewgard cemetery.

John Palmer Hardwick, son of George W. and Louisa Clark Hardwick, was born on Feb. 16, 1857, near Merritt, Ill. He departed this life on Thursday evening, March 12, 1931, at the age of 73 years.

He was united in marriage with Lillian Israel, of White Hall, who with one daughter, Virginia, survive.

News Briefs

The men's brotherhood held their regular meeting in the dining parlors of the Baptist on Thursday evening. One of the ladies circles of the church served the dinner.

Rev. H. D. Trickey was the speaker of the evening and gave an excellent address, his subject being, "The Measure of a Man."

Mr. John Perry, of Jacksonville, visited his mother, Mrs. Edward Leach and family this afternoon.

The South Winchester Community will hold the next regular community meeting at the home of Jack Evans on Friday, March 20, starting promptly at 1:30 p. m.

The program will be as follows: Call to order by the president. Reading of minutes of the last meeting.

Community singing.

Roll Call—Garden Hints.

Report on Farm and Home Week at the University of Illinois—Mrs. Clyde North.

Report on Agricultural Outlook for 1931—Mason Rowe and Earl Claywell.

Report on the last meeting of the Executive Committee—Mason Rowe.

Report on the last meeting of the Woman's Committee—Mrs. Mason Rowe.

Mission and other entertainment to be provided by the program committee.